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### Earlier decision amended

## Chamber funding increased \$20,000

by Jerry Grozelle

An impressive presentation by the Haliburton Highlands Chamber of Commerce at last week's county council meeting resulted in an increase of \$20,000 in county support for the Chamber for 1995 and a commitment of \$50,000 per year for 1996 and 1997.

Chamber president Brian Dean, Bryan Brown of Community Futures, and Hart Lodge owner Wayne Cowling represented the Chamber of Commerce. They were supported by about two dozen Chamber members, while several other members who were unable to attend sent letters or faxes of support for the Chamber's efforts to promote Haliburton County.

"You will be making a decision regarding the future of Haliburton County," Dean told the county council members.

He said that the Haliburton Highlands Chamber of Commerce is one of the fastest growing in the province.

Cowling told council that the principles of business have to be applied to the operation of the county.

"Sales and marketing should equal a minimum of five per cent of the annual budget," he said. "And in hard times that should increase to at least seven per cent."

Given the county's annual budget of around \$3-million, Cowling said the county should be investing at least \$150,000 in sales and marketing. In this case, that means promotion of the attractions and services offered by Haliburton County and its businesses.

### Highlights

The following summary was presented to council in support of the Chamber's bid for increased financial support. Among the accomplishments the listed were:

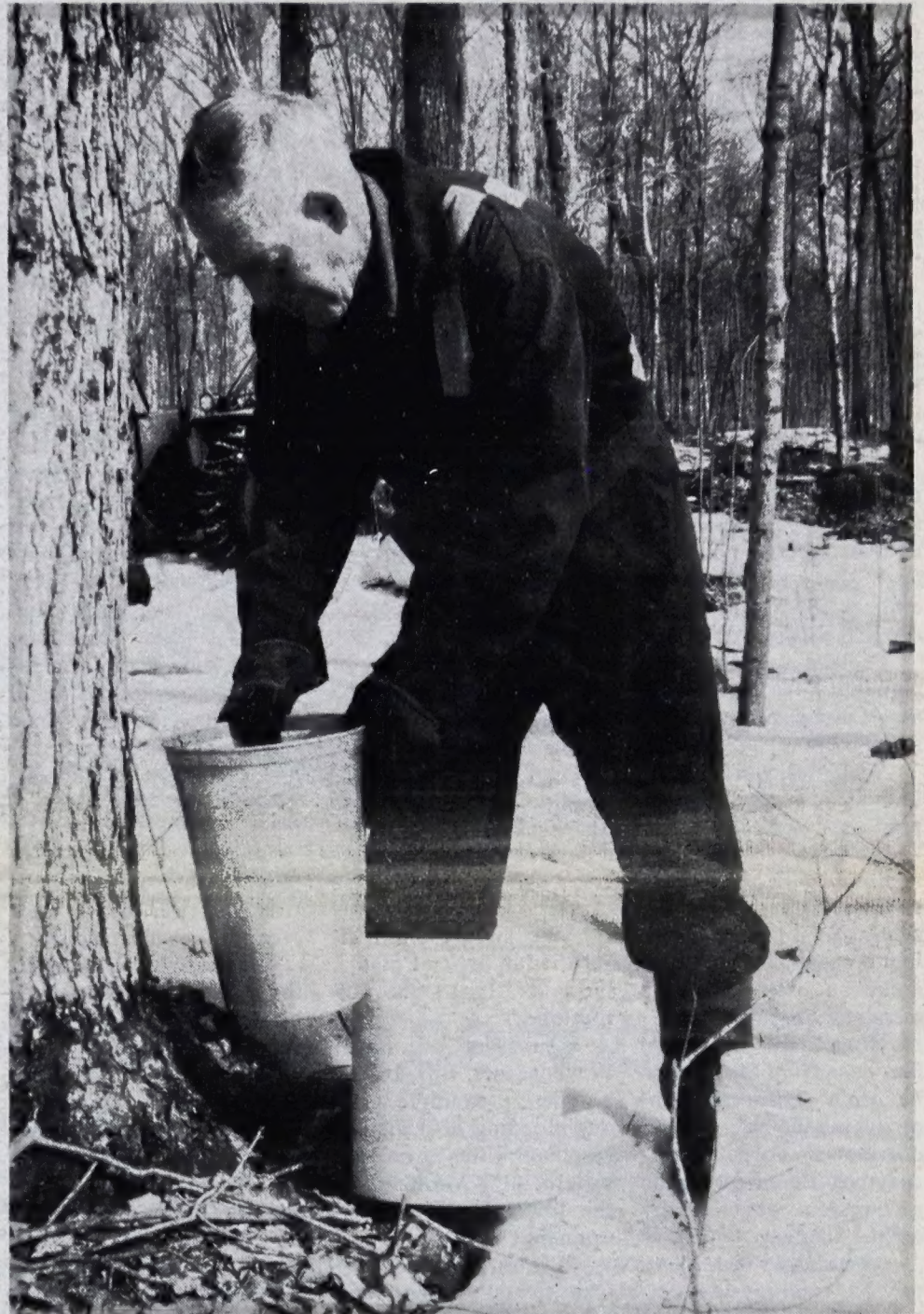
- provided employment to eight Haliburton County residents (three full-time and five part-time)

- hosted the inaugural Andreychuk Charity Golf Classic, which raised \$12,740.12 for the County Hospital Fund. With the Provincial government's commitment (60/40) it will add a further \$19,110.18 for a total of \$31,850.30

- secured more than \$86,000 to fund the creation of the Haliburton County Tours and Trails Development Strategy
- spearheaded the support for the plight of the private forest owners in Haliburton County that, in turn, convinced them to allow public access for snowmobiling and cross-country skiing for the winter of 1994/95. This, in turn, ensured the maintenance of more than 125 local hospitality industry jobs and millions of dollars in local economic spending to occur

- co-ordinated the negotiations between The Sports Network (TSN) and a group of advertisers to televise the Minden Sled Dog Derby as a 30-minute feature program. This program was seen by more than 1.7-million people in 1994
- convinced Bass'n'tario officials to hold its Pro Classic V in the Highlands. This event was filmed and became a one-hour television feature that, in 1995, will be seen by as many as 7 million viewers in Canada and the United States.

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### Aircraft plummeted from 50 feet

## Ultra-light accident claims pilot's life

by Jack Brezina

Friday afternoon, a single wreath stands in the middle of Head Lake in Haliburton Village, a lonely sentinel to mark the place where 55 year old Michael Drew lost his life.

Drew was the pilot of an ultra-light aircraft which plummeted to the frozen surface of the lake around 10 a.m. Wednesday morning. According to the findings of a post mortem, the man died of massive internal injuries sustained in the crash. He was probably dead shortly after impact.

The crash was witnessed by a number of Haliburton Village residents, many of whom had been enjoying the out of doors and the unseasonably warm conditions

and bright sunlight. Their gaze was drawn skyward when a ski-equipped ultra-light aircraft, this one with an enclosed cockpit, landed on the ice and taxied to the shore nearest the municipal parking lot. The pilot of the first plane, Eric Cadman, got out of his aircraft and was waiting for his friend who was following him in the open cockpit ultra-light. The two had taken off from Straggle Lake east of Haliburton.

Haliburton businessmen Keith Jackson and John Coneybeare were standing on the front porch of Jackson's Real Estate office overlooking the lake when they saw the second plane approach. "He came in from the west, over the high school," Coneybeare said, "and appeared to be coming in for a landing."

"Suddenly the plane banked to the right," Jackson

remembers "and it went straight down. It crashed with a terrible noise. I could tell from the sound that the pilot was unlikely to have survived the impact."

Coneybeare speculated that if the pilot was coming in for a landing, he may have been concerned about the open water around the mouth of the river flowing into Head Lake. "Perhaps he was trying to avoid running into the open water and attempted to turn the aircraft into the west," he said. Coneybeare, who owns and operates a snowmobile/outboard motor dealership in Haliburton said he didn't hear the motor of the plane running as the second aircraft turned.

Jackson said he felt the plane was up quite high in the air, above the tree line from his vantage point, when

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# County, Municipal Affairs discuss Bill 163

by Jerry Grozelle

Brian Riddell, Brian Hill and Bob Maddocks of the Ministry of Municipal Affairs attended Wednesday's county council meeting to shed some light on the planning section of Bill 163 and how it applies to county governments.

Riddell said the new bill, which comes into effect on March 28, encompasses some "major and fundamental changes".

"The current system of planning really doesn't work for anybody," Riddell said, adding that the changes are designed to make the system work better and more efficiently. Riddell said that throughout the public consultation process, a number of concerns were heard that resulted in several amendments to the original proposals.

Riddell said that the legislation will result in much more empowerment at the local level.

"In Ontario, we believe in the county level of government," Riddell said.

He added that the legislation will encourage counties to implement official plans, but later said that the legislation doesn't make an official plan a mandatory requirement.

Brian Hill explained that he is from Sudbury so he isn't necessarily approaching the issue from a downtown Toronto perspective. He said that the government wants fundamental changes.

"We should be moving toward a policy-led system of planning," he said.

He told council members they should be looking to the future and to anticipate what's going to happen.

"There is no intent to curb growth in rural areas," he assured council. "The county needs to take a leading role."

More than one member

of council translated the word empowerment to mean downloading.

Councillor Bill Davis suggested that the provincial government has found planning to be an unwieldy process.

"You are trying to de-layer," Davis said. "You want to put this cumbersome process back to the county level. What about the dollars?"

"Haliburton County is worse off than Newfoundland," county Warden Ross Rabjohn interjected. "Even a two per cent increase is extravagant. We're down to rock bottom now. It's gotten to the point where we can't afford both a municipal government and a county government."

## County struggling to maintain services

Rabjohn added that the county is struggling to maintain the most basic of services with regard to Hyland Crest and the county's roads system. He added that the taxpayers are demanding that the county hold the line on taxes.

"We simply can't afford it (an official plan)," he said. "That's the bottom line."

Councillor Lewis Stevens sees Bill 163 as another example of downloading of costs and responsibilities from the provincial government to the lower levels of government.

"I'm surprised that you want to make us enforcers of your bill," Stevens said.

After the comments of Davis, Rabjohn and Stevens was when Riddell said that the bill was intended to encourage rather than force county governments to come up with official plans.

"There are real pressures. We don't have the funding for planning that

we used to have," he admitted.

He suggested that it may be possible to work with other counties to come up with a co-operative plan.

Councillor Murray Fearrey said he didn't think Haliburton was ready to have an official plan at this point. He said that the county should go ahead with the formation of a comprehensive strategic plan.

(The first draft of the county budget made provisions for \$10,000 for the purpose of strategic planning, but that \$10,000 was axed from the budget at Fearrey's suggestion at the March 1 county budget meeting. He argued then that \$10,000 had been set aside in 1994 for that purpose and none of it was used. He suggested the money be cut from the budget until such time as there was a proven need for it. Even though a strategic planning committee had been struck, council voted to cut the funding from the 1995 budget.)

Councillor Doug Holman suggested that all Bill 163 was doing was creating jobs for planners.

Hill said by planning at the county level first, duplication or overlapping of municipal and county plans could be avoided. He added that any townships that are already in the process of developing their own official plans shouldn't put their plans on hold to wait for the county to produce its plan.

Fearrey asked what the time frame would be to develop a strategic plan.

"Six months wouldn't be unreasonable," Maddocks said.

He added that a team from Municipal Affairs would work with the county on the development of a strategic plan.

"There is a wealth of information out there that

can be accessed," he said.

When asked by Rabjohn what funding was available for a strategic plan, Riddell said it depends on the scope of the plan, but funding would be about 50 per cent.

"Once an official plan is in effect, do we need a

whole compliment of planning department personnel," Rabjohn questioned.

"There is no intent to create a bureaucracy," Hill replied. "Development pressure will tell you when you need to hire a planner."

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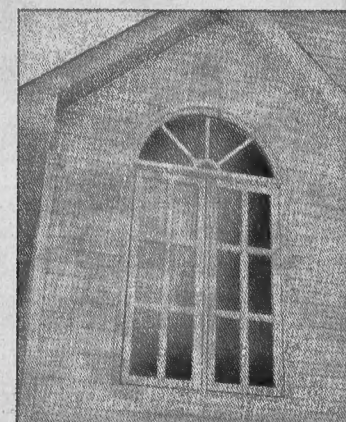


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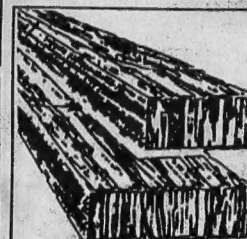
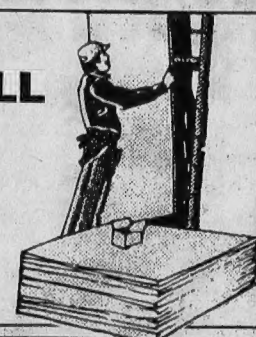
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*"The sound of the impact will be with me for a long time" — Witness*

## No cause for ultra-light crash yet reported

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it attempted to make the turn. The police report said the the craft plunged from about 50 feet above the frozen lake.

Both witnesses were shaken by what they had seen. "It's an image that I have seen in my mind a number of times since it happened," Jackson said. "I still can't believe it." Coneybeare agreed saying, "it happened so fast...it is hard to believe. The sound of the impact will be with me for a long time."

More than a few people in Haliburton witnessed the crash. Within moments of it happening, the local fire department and ambulance service were notified and speeding to the scene. Haliburton area resident Keith Hodgson drove his pick-up truck onto the ice to the crash site as firemen and ambulance personnel worked to free the trapped pilot and begin resuscitation. The pilot was brought to shore in the back of the truck and taken immediately to the Haliburton Hospital. There was little that could be done for the pilot and he was pronounced dead upon arrival at the hospital.

Inspectors from the Canadian Transport Safety were on the scene Wednesday afternoon to examine the wreckage. No report of their findings was available at press time.

Michael Drew was the father of three. He lived in North York. Both he and Cadman were Harcourt Park cottage owners.

**RIGHT:** Michael Drew's flying gear, in front of the wreckage of his ultra-light on Head Lake. Drew was a father to three.



## Local group to offer counselling service

A local group is attempting to organize a counselling service for members of families going through domestic crises.

Calling themselves the Minden Family Help Centre, they say they hope to offer their services to whomever needs them.

"It's available to anyone," says Frank Woolley, one of the organizers, "women, men, whoever. We feel that to stamp out domestic violence we really have to offer

help to everyone... We feel that the services currently in place only offer help to half the people involved."

Woolley also says that he hopes their group will be able to work harmoniously with existing groups.

The YWCA Women's Safety Network currently offers similar services in this region, counselling and arranging accommodations for women who have been victims of violence and intimidation in their homes. There is also a project under way to establish a facility

in Haliburton — the Women's Emergency House — to give women in such situations a safe place to go locally until they are able to make more permanent arrangements.

Sheri Hawkins, a member of the new group, has argued in published letters that women's shelters effectively discriminate against men.

The group is meeting April 11, at 7:30 pm at the Minden Legion Hall.

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# Chamber

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- convinced officials of Fish'n Canada to film a 30-minute feature on fishing in the Haliburton Highlands that will air to more than 1.5-million people in 1995
- developed a new corporate logo *Haliburton Highlands... Closer Than You Think!* that has been instituted as part of every marketing initiative since then
- participated in four trade shows that cumulatively attracted more than 350,000 potential tourists to Haliburton County
- provided information to more than 27,000 inquiries
- produced and circulated 40,000 Events and Attractions brochures
- produced and distributed 32,000 destination guides
- operated tourist information centres in Minden, Carleton Place (shared with Bancroft) and Gooderham
- co-sponsored a series of 13 live remote radio broadcasts promoting events and attractions throughout the county
- co-sponsored a joint marketing campaign in the *Michigan Snowmobiler* that, to date, has attracted inquiries from snowmobilers in 11 states
- provided 51 Haliburton County based companies with access to the chamber's benefit program
- increased chamber membership by 30, to 270 businesses
- initiated the filming of footage that will be used to create a series of promotional videos
- produced and began the sale of a new county map
- developed and began the distribution of a quarterly newsletter
- initiated and hosted a series of "Business to Business" social meetings

Brown told council that the Chamber submitted a Strategic Plan about 14 months ago.

"We have stuck to that plan," he said. "It has pro-

duced results never before realized."

Council was told of the savings the Chamber is responsible for, including keeping people off the welfare rolls, and exposing the Haliburton Highlands to an estimated 12-million potential visitors through television, radio, trade shows and brochures.

The Haliburton Highlands Chamber of Commerce is working with its counterpart from Bancroft to promote the annual Gem Tour, more than half of which takes place in Haliburton County.

Dean explained that it has got to the point where the board can no longer handle the volume of inquiries. He added that the fund-raising activities are burning out the volunteers.

Dean told council that if the necessary funding wasn't provided, it would "continue to operate as a Chamber of Commerce, minus the marketing effort." He went on to explain that the county would then be forced to promote the Highlands. Dean said that the Chamber would be willing to lease its building to the county for \$7,000 per year, hire a co-ordinator, hire people to do the promotion at trade shows and other events, produce and distribute brochures, among others. Dean's estimate of the cost to market the county at \$223,000.

"You have no choice but to do this," he stated.

Warden Rabjohn, impressed by the presentation stated: "There is no doubt in my mind the importance of the Chamber of Commerce."

He pointed out that the taxpayers of the county have made it clear that they don't want any tax increases under any circumstances.

"Something has got to give," he said. "If we're looking at a tax increase, we have to justify it to the taxpayers. Every \$25,000 equals one per cent."

Councillor Jock Mavor said that when the \$30,000 was approved at the March 1 budget meeting, "we didn't know what we'd be getting for the money. The original budget proposal didn't give a quarter of the information I wanted."

Dean explained that the Chamber had just approved

its budget a week before the March 1 county meeting and there wasn't enough time to prepare a presentation as elaborate as the one that was before council on that day.

Speaking in support of the Chamber, councillor Eleanor Harrison said: "You have to spend a dollar to make a dollar."

She read aloud a letter from Chamber member Yoachim Matysek, who was unable to attend the meeting because he was promoting his business at the Toronto Sportsmen's Show. Harrison said Matysek's letter supporting an increase in funding for the Chamber was representative of several that have been received by Stanhope Township over the past two weeks.

"We have to give the Chamber some idea of what we're going to do for the next three years," she said, suggesting that whatever council decided should be extended for the term of this council.

Councillor Bill Davis told the Chamber supporters that council would have to do some "soul searching" to come up with much more than the \$30,000 that was committed at the preliminary budget meeting.

"We've already cut \$130,000 from the roads budget. You'll have to fly people into Haliburton because the roads are going to go to hell."

Davis added that there was no report in the local papers after the March 1 budget meeting that the \$30,000 was not a figure carved in stone.

Councillor Murray Fearrey commended the Chamber for its presentation.

"You have dispelled some fears," he said.

It was Fearrey who made the motion to fund the Chamber by \$50,000 each year until 1997. He suggested that the county has some land holdings that could be sold to help offset any deficit in the budget.

Mavor asked that the Chamber keep the county up to date at least on an annual basis of its activities even though the commitment has been made for three years.

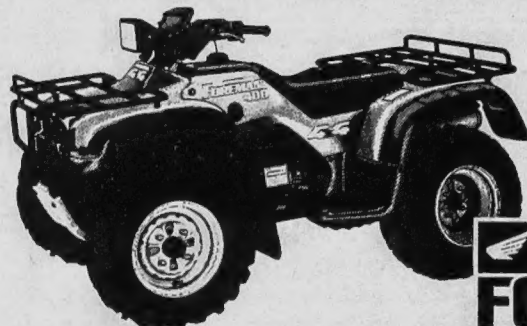
Councillor Jim McMahon suggested funneling some of the subsidy money from Community Futures into the Chamber's marketing strategy.

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# Burk's Falls: Saving money — saving lives

During the past four weeks, *Times* reporter Andrew Milne has been examining the details of events leading up to and following the closure of the hospital in Burk's Falls, a small community north of Huntsville. The closure of the hospital, some three years ago is used by many people as an example of what is happening, and could happen to health care services in Minden. In this final instalment, Milne looks at some of the issues which have been raised in Burk's Falls and how they apply to the situation facing our own community.

While there is general agreement that controls must be placed on health care spending, this week's report questions whether the current

approach will in fact lead to the efficiencies that are hoped for. If anything, the report suggests that simply closing facilities in rural areas, while may appear to reduce costs, simply results in a transfer of the load to other facilities or parts of the health care system.

This closes our examination of the local health care crisis through the example of the Burk's Falls experience. However we will continue to follow the issues surrounding the evolution of health care services in the Highlands and surrounding area. This series would not have been possible without the cooperation of many individuals. Their assistance is greatly appreciated.

Fred Lee decided to move to Huntsville shortly after the hospital in Burk's Falls closed.

He had been living in Spence, a small town near Magnetawan, for around 13 years when he made that decision. Prior to retiring, he had been an engineer. Like many people fortunate enough to own one, he had chosen to retire to his cottage.

Moving into Huntsville wasn't a big deal, says Lee. It just made sense. He's seventy years old, as healthy and as active as he's ever been — he jogs daily, and likes hunting and fishing. He takes care of himself and intends to continue doing so.

He moved because he wanted to be close to a hospital, just in case.

"I hesitate to say this," he says, "but many of my friends have passed away, and have had various illnesses. I just wanted to take precautions."

In their townhouse in Huntsville, Lee and wife Betty sit for a moment and think of all the friends they've lost in the last few years. It adds up to quite a few — eleven in thirteen years, all close friends and neighbours. It seems reasonable to want to be cautious.

Lee says the original decision to move to the Burk's Falls area had to do with the fact that there was a hospital there.

"It was really important to have some medical assistance," he says.

Lee says he realizes perfectly well the Burk's Falls Hospital had its limitations. And he hesitates to complain about its being closed. Taking care of himself is his problem, he says. If he has to move, he does so.

But, he says, all in all, it was a good little hospital. "Many of my friends have been on occasion in the Burk's Falls Hospital. As they got older, some of them died in that hospital, some of them very close friends. Some of my friends had accidents in the bush, and went to that hospital. My mother was in it for a while, and I remember thinking it was a superlative hospital. The care was really great. It was staffed by local people, and as a result they take a personal interest in you. They were your friends."

The Lees' choice represents one troubling vision of the future for the people of Minden — especially its business community. There are many people in Minden who, like the Lees, have chosen their cottage community as a place in which to retire. To a great extent, these are the people who make garages, grocery stores, and bakeries necessary and viable. It was one of the first fears voiced when word got out that the Minden may soon be without hospital facilities: the retirees will move out, said some, and an important part of the community will be gone.

Certainly, that is one possible future for Minden, and for Burk's Falls. The important question now has to be this: are there others?

## Two villages, two hospitals

The Burk's Falls Hospital had been, up until its closure in 1992, an 18-bed facility. In the best years, it had five doctors working a call rota that kept the emergency department open 24 hours a day. This small town of 900 served as

the only outpost of emergency care on a long stretch of road — 85 km north on Highway 11 is the North Bay bed hospital — 39 km to the south is Huntsville with a 90 bed facility. Between these two centres, at least until 1992, there was only Burk's Falls, and it treated whatever walked in the door — from people allergic to bee stings to woodlot owners careless with their chain saws.

But in March 1992, it closed, as part of an effort to reduce the operating deficit of Huntsville Hospital, which had been running the facility as a satellite since the mid 1980s.

Since then, as related earlier in this series, the community of Burks Falls has undergone something of an ordeal, while members of local boards feud and the Ministry of Health and the Ontario Medical Association look on, apparently unable to help, and occasionally quite able to hinder. At issue is urgent care. The hospital has been replaced by a community health centre — specifically the Almaguin Health Centre. But the centre does not provide urgent care — an emergency department where people can go if they've managed to catch themselves with a fish hook or are in the throes of an asthma attack. The reason? A suitable method of paying the doctors has yet to be settled upon.



The former Burk's Falls Hospital, now the Almaguin Health Centre.

It is now three years after the hospital closed its doors, and Burk's Falls appears no closer to a solution.

In Minden, a small town of 1,200, a similar process is unfolding.

Minden's tiny 9-bed facility is 23 km from Haliburton's 10-bed hospital, and 76 km from the much larger Ross Memorial Hospital in Lindsay. Both of the county hospitals are run by the Sisters of St. Joseph, a corporation which also runs the Peterborough Hospital and Health Centre.

As part of the rationalisation process, by which the Ontario Ministry of Health is trying to cut health care costs, a local board has been ordered to consolidate acute care in the county at one of the two small centres — Minden, or Haliburton.

The board wasn't actually ordered to close either hospital. Technically, they were just to decide which facility was the better location for the acute care beds. But even doing that much is difficult. Hospital closures in small towns, as Burk's Falls amply demonstrates, are very emotional issues. And the board that had to make the decision only arrived at a consensus after an extremely long, extremely arduous process, and only by making one very important concession.

They would concentrate the beds at the Haliburton Hospital. But the motion also included the provision that a 24 hour emergency service remain in Minden backed up by a number of what the board called stabilisation beds.

This decision was endorsed as one motion, because there was no other way of achieving a consensus. Members of the board who felt responsible to the public served by the Minden facility would never have voted for it otherwise.

The ministry, however, did not treat the proposal as indivisible. They readily endorsed the decision to consolidate the beds in Haliburton. However, the ministry seemed hesitant to endorse the part of the motion which called for the provision of emergency care in Minden. They said it would require further study.

## In transition

Health care, in the world in general and in Canada in particular, is in transition.

There are really two forces driving the change. First, there is the rapid advance of technology. The wards of larger hospitals, at least, often contain equipment no one could have even dreamed of a few decades ago, when the small Red Cross outpost hospitals dotted the face of Northern Ontario, and other such rural areas. Medicine can treat more problems than it could then. Doctors (at least, most of them) know more. Surgical techniques make it possible for patients to recover from far more serious injuries and from diseases that in years gone by were invariably fatal.

Many (though not all) of these techniques, however, require serious resources — resources not always available in the smaller hospitals. Someone seriously injured in an automobile accident in Haliburton County, is highly unlikely to spend much time in the local hospitals, at least, not in the treatment phase. They might return for the final portion of their recovery, but first, and the sooner the better, they will mostly likely be taken to a large trauma centre in Toronto, where the attending physician has at his disposal an internist, a surgeon, or whatever expertise and equipment he may need to keep the patient alive.

And, quite obviously, large hospitals are the places where such resources should be concentrated. Dr. Andrew Albert was one of the doctors who worked at the Burks Falls Hospital. He says in retrospect, if he suffered a major trauma he would much rather be taken straight to the larger Huntsville Hospital than to Burk's Falls, if the Burk's Falls facility wasn't on the way. But, he says, this isn't entirely the point.

## The case for small hospitals

There is really only one other compelling reason for moving to larger and fewer hospitals: economy of scale. Administrative costs and operating costs per patient treated can generally be expected to be less in larger centres. One dietary department looking after an 18-bed hospital costs less to run than two kitchens feeding two 9-bed facilities — or at least, in theory, it should.

Those are the main arguments for larger hospitals, in

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# Searching for the savings in the new health care model

(from page 5)

central locations. The most obvious argument — and the easiest to challenge — for there being small hospitals in communities like Minden and Burk's Falls, is that the people who live in those areas want them there.

Returning to that later, there are other arguments.

First of all, as Albert and others point out, trauma isn't the only condition with which these hospitals must cope.

If someone does happen to walk in the door swollen twice their normal size and in shock from an allergic reaction to a bee sting, the Haliburton or Minden hospitals could well save their life. As could have Burk's Falls.

If someone suffers a serious asthma attack in the middle of the night, again, heading to one of those little satellite hospitals could very well be the smartest thing they could do.

Albert also says that, providing a seriously injured patient was further north (and therefore not travelling away from Huntsville), going to the Burk's Falls Hospital would make sense. The ambulance centre is right there. If needed the patient could be quickly placed in an ambulance and transported to Huntsville Hospital anyway, but in serious cases, a doctor could be available to travel with them. That doctor wouldn't have the resources of a fully equipped trauma ward on the journey, but he would have more freedom to act to save a life than would the ambulance attendants.

This is the first argument for the continued existence of small hospitals: in areas too lightly populated or too remote to support larger hospitals, there are still relatively simple lifesaving procedures small hospitals can do quite well.

The next argument for small hospital emergency care, is that there are a number of simple procedures doctors cannot do conveniently in their offices but which can be done reasonably well in a small hospital setting... stitching minor injuries too large to be ignored but too insignificant to bother the ambulance people, for one example. Should someone manage to cut themselves with the table saw badly enough to need stitches, realistically, they are going to have to get to a hospital, whether it be 10 km or 100 km away. The extra 90 km may not make the injury any more life threatening, but at this point, maybe a few questions about priorities are in order.

This touches on another effect of hospitals: even the smaller ones attract doctors, for the simple reason that they feed the doctors' practices, and allow the doctors to perform procedures which would be extremely inconvenient otherwise. Conversely, should the hospital be removed, it becomes that much more difficult to attract physicians to an isolated rural community.

Ray Smith is the leader of the East Parry Sound Health Care Coalition, a group lobbying for better health care in the Burk's Falls area in the wake of the hospital closure. Says Smith, "They keep talking — and this government is perhaps one of the loudest — about getting doctors out into the rural areas, and they're doing everything to discourage that. The reverse is happening. And consequently the people in rural areas are having to go to larger centres to even get ordinary primary care."

A Ministry of Health memo recently brought to the attention of the Haliburton and area Acting Health Services Board also points out that closing emergency care treatment facilities and concentrating such services too heavily can have drastic effects on the response times of ambulance services. Since the ambulance has to travel that much further to take a patient to the hospital, it reduces the time that ambulance is available in its home community. The memo uses a hypothetical increased travel time of 30 minutes, and puts it together as follows: if the ambulance has to travel 30 minutes to carry a patient near its base to hospital, then spends 20 minutes at the hospital unloading, and 30 minutes more returning to its base, it is effectively available to its home community for 80 minutes less for every patient it carries.

The memo concludes that to ensure continued coverage of the same quality as previous to the closure of an emergency department, more ambulances may have to be available. Ambulances cost money too — around half a million dollars per year per vehicle offering 24 hour service.

So while there probably are economies of scale in

concentrating urgent care services, there are also, evidently, to coin a phrase, "diseconomies of concentration".

When all the costs are calculated, one factor remains constant, the provincial health care system is going to have to treat the same number of patients in emergency care facilities next year (with the exception of course of the patients who don't survive the additional travel time) no matter how many or how few hospitals with emergency departments there are. Striving for economy of scale is all very well and good, but rural Ontario is still going to produce its share of patients, and those patients are still going to have to be treated.

If rural Ontario is going to produce a higher percentage of traumatic injuries (as a study cited earlier in this series suggests), due to lifestyle factors, it seems sensible that the emergency care be located as close as possible to where the potential patients are.

## Savings?

Another pertinent question to ask in the case of both the Burk's Falls facility and the Minden Hospital is just how much could be saved by closing these hospitals, and whether such a move really does mean more efficient delivery of services. The point of the rationalisation of health care services in the first place is, in the words of a Ministry of Health spokesperson, "Getting the biggest bang for our health care buck."

In Burk's Falls at least, the difference between running the Burk's Falls Hospital under the administration of the Huntsville Hospital board, and in having an independently-managed community health centre was meagre. When Huntsville cut Burk's Falls loose, the Ministry of Health was able to shave \$750,000 from Huntsville's operating budget. The Almaguin Health Centre costs approximately \$900,000 a year to operate.

The argument can be advanced that the health centre isn't designed to meet exactly the same needs as was the hospital. Despite apparent community resistance to having a health centre where their hospital had been, perhaps the policy of preventative medicine versus curative does apply here, and in the long run the health centre will prove to meet the needs of Burk's Falls residents better than did their hospital, as Frances Lankin, then Minister of Health, told the Toronto Star shortly after the closure.

But on the bottom line, at least, as Lankin quite candidly stated, the taxpayers aren't saving a penny on this deal.

In Minden, and in Haliburton, the same question had better be asked. The thrust here is to build one 18-bed facility where there had been two of half that size. Economy — and efficiency — of scale.

Curiously, however, for all that the bottom line is supposed to be so important to this process, no one at the local levels actually seems to know yet what savings, if any, will be realized from consolidating the 18 acute care beds in one location.

Think about that one for a moment. It has already been decided by the Ministry of Health that the beds at the two facilities be merged into one. And the local health services board is going through the predictable hell involved in making so painful a decision as to which location it will be. Tell anyone you're questioning whether all of this is really such a good idea, and the response is swift and doctrinaire: we have a deficit in this country — we can't just run small hospitals in every little town that happens to want to keep theirs. Yet somehow, in the entire discussion, the actual savings involved have yet to be revealed.

The local board does know, that in a worse case scenario, the initial capital outlay involved in building and renovating facilities to put their current plan into action is going to be in the \$10 million range. (That is the amount suggested by the Ministry of Health to consolidate the acute care facilities at the Haliburton Hospital and the necessary upgrade to the building to accommodate the increased patient capacity. The figure also includes the addition of 30 long-term care beds to the Haliburton Hospital, the much needed upgrading of Hyland Crest Senior Citizens Home in Minden and the relocation of the Minden Hospital (transformed into a health care centre with urgent care capabilities) to the Hyland Crest site. The community must raise an estimated \$4.5 million as

its share of the project.) And as much as renovations were necessary in any case, that fact alone is sure to mean it's going to be a few years before any real savings are realized.

It would be nice to think that someone at least, perhaps at the Ministry of Health, does know what savings will be realized from the consolidation, and that they will prove significant, and worth the trouble. It would be nicer still if the local board — which is sure to be the first target for recrimination after any changes are made — knew what exactly they were fighting for.

It would also perhaps be some consolation at least to the local community, if they could be sure that losing their hospital in the long run really is a good thing, and there really will be savings, and an improvement in the quality of care. It seems only fair that the people affected at least know what it would cost them to keep their hospital around, relative to scrapping it, before they make the decision.

They don't yet. And they only need look as far as Burk's Falls to see that closing the hospital doesn't always save money.

## A Different Model for Rural Ontario?

A few weeks ago, half the board that runs the Almaguin Health Centre — a group analogous to the local Acting Health Services Board — resigned.

The reasons for the resignations are complex, and aren't all being talked about, as there are personnel issues involved. But Ray Smith is drawing at least one conclusion from this:

The community health centre model, says Smith, does not meet the needs of rural Ontario. Setting one up in the building which had once contained the Burk's Falls hospital, he says, was an exercise in futility — an urban model of health care transplanted to rural Ontario, and doomed to failure.

He and his coalition are insisting that the ministry and the local board acknowledge this, and that the hospital be reopened.

They have a vision of the future, they say. And the future, for the small villages and towns dotting the surfaces of the Canadian Shield, at least, doesn't look that much unlike the past.

It goes like this: for urban Ontario, where there's always an emergency ward somewhere within a decent distance to take someone who really needs one, and a surplus of doctors, cutting beds, closing hospitals, and eliminating redundancies probably makes sense, and can probably be done without endangering anyone's life. Modern, less intrusive procedures can — and should — shorten bed stays, and reduce costs. The less expensive community health centres can dispense their unique brand of preventative medicine, and yes, in the long run, we'll all probably be better served, and for a better price.

But in rural Ontario, they argue, a different model is needed altogether.

First of all, it is not fewer urgent care facilities that are needed. In the north, with isolated populations spread over sometimes dangerous terrain, there may even be a need for more. They should probably, as in the recent past, be carefully controlled in terms of what procedures they should attempt to perform with their limited resources. But they should still be there, and doing what they can.

Furthermore, the last thing we should be doing, says Smith, is closing facilities in areas where it is already difficult to induce doctors to start practices. He points to the doctors who left Burk's Falls after the hospital closed, and asks if there isn't more of the same to follow.

It's a tantalizing vision for anyone in a small town, taking a long, potentially final look at the tiny, often imperfect institutions which have served them so long. For the people of Minden the only vision of the future right now seems to be exemplified by the reduced hospital services the community has experienced over the past few weeks. The Acting Health Services Board has recognized the need for 24 hour emergency services in both communities. Now it seems to be a matter of convincing the Ministry of Health that, having given the mandate to the community to design its own vision of health care, it allow the community to get on with the job.

The future, as the saying goes, is still what you make it.



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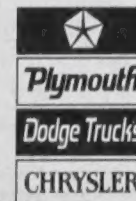
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## Editorial

### Shared goals

There are those who believe the Haliburton Highlands Chamber of Commerce should be self-supporting; that the main beneficiaries of its efforts are the members and that they should be footing the bill. They believe that in this era of a stressed economy and high taxes, public funds should not be used to promote private enterprise.

On the other hand, there are people who believe the Haliburton Highlands Chamber of Commerce is in fact an extension of the county government, working at arm's length to improve the economy of the area. They suggest that when the Chamber promotes the Haliburton Highlands as a tourist destination, the benefits are felt by all and result in a net gain for the area that far exceeds the the input of the county government. That being the case, they believe using public funds to assist in financing the Chamber's efforts is an appropriate use of tax dollars.

At the risk of being accused of taking a proverbial seat on the fence, we would like to suggest both positions have merit.

There is no doubt, the first to reap the benefits of any promotion the Chamber may mount are the businesses which house, feed, fuel and entertain the people attracted to the Highlands by the Chamber's efforts. But at the same time, these same business provide employment and purchase goods and services locally and by doing so filter that money through the local economy.

While the three year commitment made by the County Council last Wednesday is a start, what is needed is a long-term co-ordinated effort between the local political bodies and the business community to identify shared goals and objectives. Likewise, the Chamber must take a long, hard look at how it finances its efforts. It is clear the public purse strings are being drawn tighter. The Chamber members should be prepared for the day, if it hasn't arrived already, when public funds can no longer be relied on to bolster their efforts.

Thankfully the county has not abandoned the Chamber. The three year commitment should give the organization ample time to prepare for the next time the public funding is in jeopardy.

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## The Chamber needs our support

Editor:

It was very frustrating to see County Council about to shoot itself in the foot. This is what would have happened if there had been a funding cutback to the Chamber of Commerce. I believe that the Chamber needs more support.

The Chamber is our interface with the rest of the world. Haliburton is a beautiful part of the planet. What we have here with our clean lakes and forests is regrettably becoming more unique as species and environments disappear around the world. Our chunk of the Canadian Shield is truly special. Ironically, the best thing we have to offer is what we take for granted.

Tourism could be the engine that drives our economy. Many would argue that is that now. To cut funding to the very organization that is working hard to fuel that engine would have been suicidal.

I know that the members of council are under a lot of pressure to not increase taxes. Some campaigned on that platform. I believe that the money has to be spent on the Chamber. I would much rather spend my tax money at the local level and would be willing to take the \$9.00 tax hike if it meant that Haliburton County would be better marketed to the world. I would certainly rather send it to the County than to Queen's Park or Ottawa. It is far easier to see where my money is go-

ing in Haliburton and who is accountable for the expenditures.

I also believe that an official plan needs to be put in place that makes environmental protection a priority and that very clearly lays down the course of development to end the confusion for those who want to make changes to the landscape. There are ways to have development and maintain environmental integrity.

Every one of us has been given the gift of being a steward of Haliburton County. Most of us do not understand or accept the responsibility. I had certainly lost sight of that duty over the past few years.

Haliburton is not just a pile of rocks. It is a complex of mixed forest, wetlands, and waterways, situated on the southern edge of the Precambrian Shield. It needs protection and it also has the capacity, through its natural properties, to provide us with an economy that will sustain us.

We need to be proud of what we have, fierce in its protection, and not afraid to invite the world to come and sample the remarkable place that we enjoy. We need to invest in our future. I'm prepared to do that. It will take courage, wisdom, and cooperation to succeed.

Eric Lillius, Haliburton.



# Opinion

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## A lesson from the past

Editor:

Here is a little note just to prove a point of how some peoples' minds work. These figures aren't necessarily accurate, but the facts are.

Some years ago when the Scotch Line School was still open, I was hired to do some renovations on the school in Minden, I asked a trustee why the work was being carried out. He said it was costing too much to operate the Scotch Line School and it would be closed and the students would be bused to Minden. At that time, the teacher's salary at the Scotch Line School was approximately \$1500 per year; heating and caretaking about \$1000 per year; making a total of \$2500. After moving the teacher to

Minden she got a raise of \$1000 and a school bus was hired at a cost of \$2500. The results was an expense that was almost double what it had cost.

It seems to me that some of the old trustees are now working on the Acting Health Services Board, because nobody with any common sense at all would close the hospital in Minden and then hire an ambulance to take patients to Lindsay or any place else. If they are closing hospitals to save money instead of lives, why not close St. Joseph's Hospital because its seems to be in debt most of the time anyway.

It doesn't make sense to transport someone to Haliburton, just to come back down that road. It is too bad we don't have a map of Ontario in Braille so these people could read it and realize Haliburton is half way across the county, as far north as the 45th parallel, and it takes about 40 minutes to get out of the county in any direction, and it is only about 40 minutes from Minden to Lindsay.

I simply can't understand why anyone would al-

low them to close the hospital in Minden and draw a sick or injured person up and down the road for no reason whatsoever.

George Hewitt,  
Lutterworth

## What goes around...

Editor:

After reading for weeks of Minden's Hospital troubles, I have come to realize what the saying, "What goes around comes around," really means. Years ago, the people of this village had the idea for a large hospital for the whole county, as the Haliburton and Wilberforce Hospitals were not enough.

Two prominent businessmen, Cecil Irwin and Clayton Rogers headed a committee to speak with the government on this issue. Consent was given along with a guarantee of financial help. "This was in the days when they kept their promises."

A meeting was called in Zion United Church basement for the county and was very well attended. Unfortunately, the same stupidity between the village of Minden and Haliburton was as bad as it is today. Minden would build their own hospital, rather than contribute to the county, which they did.

While this argument was going on, Muskoka got the money and the go-ahead to build the county hospital in Bracebridge.

We have all paid for this in lost revenue from Medical staff having homes here to jobs for the maintenance staff. When I have to seek a doctor in the Peterborough area, I shop there, all those lovely big stores.

I would like hear from anyone else who remembers these meetings.

Anne McKay  
Minden.

## An even split

Editor:

In answer to Dorthy Parshall of Highland Grove, (letter of February 27/95):

I didn't say that Minden was the "centre of the universe", only that it was more central to the townships that are serviced by the county building.

The far eastern townships of Bicroft, Cardiff and Harcourt get their common services from Bancroft probably. Hydro, recreation, health services and shopping would all be much closer in Bancroft than to either Minden or Haliburton villages.

The people of Haliburton County are split nearly 50/50 between the east and west sides. Even the taxes paid (50.14% by the west side and 49.86% by the east side) are almost equal.

Sorry you haven't made it to Minden...perhaps it is your loss.

Gladys Kellett Wruth,  
Minden.

## Up front

Editor:

Re: The Times, February 27/95.

With great surprise, as I was about to fold up this edition of paper, I noticed on page 25 there appeared a small picture of Angela Camelon, a girl who won an important science scholarship. Such a small picture, further diminished by placement after all the local sports, after the advertisements, after TV programming, etc.!

When Minden is honoured by a winner of a science scholarship, I would like to find a large item no farther back than page 3!

M.J. Charlton,  
Etobicoke and Canning Lake

## Travel nightmares....to Hell and back, first class

*Travel is glamorous only in retrospect*

Paul Theroux

*I have paid as much as \$300 a night to throw up in a sink shaped like a seashell.*

Erma Bombeck

Ah, the joy of gallivanting around the globe — it ain't always quite the way they tell it in those full-colour brochures the travel agents lavish on you.

As a frequent flyer who has eaten enough airline meals to qualify as a Hazardous Waste Site, I can testify that the romance of Jetting Away From It All is highly overrated. As a sensual experience, living out of a suitcase palls after 48 hours and there's not a hotel bed in the world that's as soft and forgiving as the one you've got at home.

Of course, there's your average tedious, pain in the butt type travel and then there's *nightmare* travel.

Each year the folks at Thrifty Car Rental sponsor a Worst Travel Nightmares Contest. Contestants are invited to send in the most wretched

experience they'd experienced as a tourist.

This year's winners have been announced and the runner up spot in the

Misery Sweepstakes goes to Pen Goldberg of Madison, Alabama. Ben had his rental car vandalized while he sunned himself on a Florida beach. Most of his belongings were stolen. But not all.

Later that afternoon Mister Goldberg attempted to board a home-bound airplane at Miami airport.

His attempt would have gone a lot better if Mister Goldberg hadn't been dressed in a tweed jacket, a bathing suit and no shoes.

Or if he's had a ticket.

Alas, Mister Goldberg was taken for an exhibitionist/hijacker, tackled, handcuffed and held at gunpoint.

But David Gray wins first prize in the Thrifty Nightmare Travel Contest. Last year, on a whim, Mister Gray rented a fire-engine red Thunderbird convertible in Seattle. He was having a grand time, tooling with the top down along

the coastal highway.

Right until the squad of police cruisers surrounded him.

Officers leaned out of the passenger window of each

cruiser,

each

sporting a

twelve-

gauge

shotgun pointed at the barren patch between David Gray's eyebrows.

Turned out that a "computer glitch" had tagged Gray as the prime suspect in the theft of a red T Bird which had occurred back in 1989.

The glitch was eventually found, the flatfoot Rambos backed off and David Gray was released.

Just in time to miss his flight back to Los Angeles.

Tragic tales, yes — but nothing to compare to the sad saga of a nomad by the name of Nicholas Scotti. One day Mister Scotti decided to fly from his home in San Francisco back to his native Italy to visit relatives. When the plane touched down, Mister Scotti disembarked. Alas, his nephews were not there to meet him as promised. Kids these days. Still, perhaps it was just the infa-

mous Roman traffic that held them up. Mister Scotti decided to track them down himself. Ah, how Rome had changed! All these modern buildings! Why, hardly any of the city's ancient landmarks were left!

And the street signs — why were they in English? Was the Yankee tourist dollar so important to Italians nowadays? After all, Mister Scotti couldn't help noticing that most of the people he talked to spoke English — and with an American accent, yet.

It wasn't until Mister Scotti had spent a day and a night on the city subway that a sympathetic cop explained the problem.

Mister Scotti was not in Rome. He was not even in Europe.

He had spent two days wandering around New York city.

A trouper to the end, Mister Scotti refused to believe it. Even when he was placed in a police cruiser and raced back to the airport, sirens wailing, to catch a flight back to his native San Francisco, Mister Scotti whacked himself in the chest triumphantly and cried

"You see? Now I know I'm in Italy. This is how they drive."

### Black'n White

by Arthur Black





## Rigney to fill in as county administrator

Ross Rigney, retired vice-president, public and governmental affairs for Sears and councillor for Snowdon Township, will be the interim chief administrative officer and clerk treasurer for Haliburton County. Rigney will fill in until permanent replacements can be found for county administrator Terry Noble, who officially finished Friday, and former human resources manager Sue Traves, who left earlier this year.

With his expertise, and some help from Bob Maddocks, a municipal advisor with the Ministry of Municipal Affairs, Rigney will help define the role of county council as well as the direction of the county's administration.

"They will work as a co-ordinated team for Haliburton County," said county warden Ross Rabjohn.

Rigney said he expects to be working three to three and a half days a week.

LEFT: Rigney (right) with outgoing clerk-treasurer Noble.

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# Sports

## Last chance

Minden Minor Baseball is holding one more registration this Wednesday evening from 7-9 at Archie Stouffer Elementary School



**GLOVE SAVE:** Westside goalie Terry Crowe makes a glove save on this shot. But his team came out on the short end of a 6-3 score in the first game of the Minden Men's Hockey Association championship finals against Sid Stamp Fuels.

## MMHA championship

# Stamp squad takes 1-0 series lead

by Jerry Grozelle

Sid Stamp Fuels has taken a 1-0 lead in the Minden Men's Hockey Association championship finals, doubling Westside Jug City 6-3 last Monday evening.

Boomer Stamp opened the scoring for the Stamp team, with an assist from Scott Nesbitt.

Scott Danilko evened the score minutes later, from Harold Cowan and David Rogers. The Stamp crew notched two more before the end of the first half.

Nesbitt and Eldon Bull were the snipers, with assists going to Dave Dollo (with two) and Stamp.

Danilko scored his second marker of the game early in the second half, cutting the Stamp lead to 3-2. Scott Hamilton assisted.

That would be as close as the Westside team would get. Stamp marksmen added three in a row and by the late stages of the second half, had the game out of reach. The scorers were Nesbitt, from Bull and Stamp; Bull, from Nesbitt; and Dollo, from Tom Miscio

and Stamp.

Westside's Paul Walker notched the last goal of the game, from Rogers to end it at 6-3.

Game two of the best-of-three series will be tonight (Monday) at 8 o'clock at the Minden arena. Westside must win tonight's game to force a third game.

## Prentice number 1

Minden's Tom Prentice was the overall winner of the metal to ice (studded tire) class of the 1995 CASC/STP Ice Race Championship. He earned a total of 354 points, racing in class 8. That was 23 points ahead of the nearest competitor in the studded tire classes.

Prentice also placed second in class 1 of the rubber to ice standings, accumulating 415 points and seventh place in the overall standings of the rubber to ice classes.

Other local drivers also had a good season. Mike Elder of Minden finished ninth overall in the rubber to ice division, with 404 points. He was third in class 3.

Tom Little of Haliburton picked up 250 points, finishing the season seventh in class 6.

Maple Lake resident Scott Welch was close behind with 236 points. He placed seventh in class 1.

Rookie Brian Edwards of Haliburton was 12th in class 6, earning 197 points and Minden's Jim Carrell was 12th in class 6, for 173 points.

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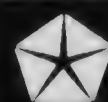
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Peewee B team in championship finals

# Minden Monarchs open round robin series with a tie and a win

by Jerry Grozelle

The Minden Monarchs peewee B hockey team is currently embroiled in the championship round robin playoffs of the Tri-County League. As of Friday, the Minden team had a win and a tie in the eight-game series.

The team that finishes this series with the highest point total will earn the championship hardware.

Minden opened with a tie against Ops on March 8 at the Ops arena.

Minden coach Ken Casey credited goalie Shane Walker for keeping his team in the game.

"He played an excellent game," Casey said.

Steve Crain opened the game's scoring with the only goal of the second pe-

riod. Adam Bathe assisted.

Ops tied the score at 1-1 midway through the third and that's how it ended.

That game was penalty free for the Minden squad and Ops only had two penalties. Crain's goal was scored while the teams were both at full strength.

Game two of the series was in Minden on Saturday, March 11 against Manvers. The Monarchs took a hard-fought 4-3 win over the visiting Manvers team.

Cam Neville paced the Minden attack, scoring a hat trick and assisting on the other goal, by Tom Perrott. Two of Neville's markers were unassisted, with Crain setting up the other one.

Adam Payne was on duty between the Minden pipes for that game.

The championship series is slated to be completed by April 1.

**COVERING UP:**

Minden peewee B Monarchs' goaltender Adam Payne covers up in his crease during the game against Manvers. Payne helped backstop his team to a 4-3 win over the visitors while teammate Cam Neville led the Minden attack by scoring a hat trick and assisting on the other marker.

Class act to the end

## Bantam A Monarchs bow to Ops but not to frustration

A bigger and stronger Ops team proved the downfall of the Minden bantam A Monarchs. Ops has been a tough team all season and when the playoffs rolled around, the Lindsay area team played to its potential.

The result was three wins in a row over the Minden boys. But even though the Ops boys won the series, eliminating the Monarchs from further competition, they didn't outclass their opponents from Minden.

After the first game of the best-of-three series at the

Ops arena, the Minden boys, reeling from a 4-0 loss, lined up and shook hands with the coaches and referees, prompting more than one of the Ops parents to comment to Minden coach Brian Shaw on the class his team members had shown.

In spite of that shutout, Shaw said the final score was not indicative of the Monarchs' calibre of play.

Game two saw the Monarchs come out on the short end of an 8-3 decision in Minden.

The Monarchs got off to a good start when Wayne Kernohan blasted a shot from the point that beat the Ops goalie just 30 seconds into the game. Rob Camelon assisted.

Ops responded with two in a row, but Darren Mills made it a new game when he scored the equalizer with 3:13 left in the second frame. George Godfrey and Ben Ripley set that one up.

Sheamus Donnery notched the third Minden goal with a blistering slap shot from the point. Don Todd assisted.

The third game of the series, at Ops, saw the home team score two unanswered goals in the first and add one early in the second before Minden got on the scoreboard. Godfrey pounced on a loose puck during a scramble in front of the Ops net. He put it in to get one on the visitors' side of the board. Camelon and Adam Carpenter drew assists on that goal. Thirty seconds later, Steve Ecclestone brought the Monarchs within striking distance cutting the Ops lead to 3-2.

Before the second period was over Ops had restored a three-goal lead.

Not ready to give it up, the Monarchs came out with determination in the third. Ryan Anderson scored on a breakaway a minute and a quarter into the third.

Ops notched another marker within four minutes to take a 6-3 lead with just under 10½ minutes left in the third.

Still trailing 6-3 with three minutes left in the game, coach Shaw pulled out all the stops and pulled goalie Ashley Walker in favour of an extra attacker. Minden played the final three minutes with an empty net. The

Monarchs maintained control of the puck but couldn't get a shot past the Ops netminder. The final score remained 6-3.

Minden goaltender Ashley Walker turned aside a lot of rubber throughout the series, to keep the scores respectable.

During the series, the Monarchs maintained their concentration and demonstrated their sense of sportsmanship, not allowing frustration to get the better of them. Much of the credit for the team's discipline can be attributed to coach Brian Shaw, assistant coach Terry Crowe, trainer Ken Casey and manager Debby Casey, who led by example.

## Novice B Monarchs finish 1st in round robin

Chalking up seven of a possible eight points in the round robin semifinals against Wilberforce and Woodville, the Minden novice B Monarchs finished the series in first place. The first place finish advanced the Minden team to the championship finals, a best-of-three series for the league hardware.

Minden opened the round robin with a 1-1 tie in Wilberforce. The rematch in Minden saw the Monarchs win by a 5-2 margin. The Monarchs went to Woodville for game three, winning that one 2-0. Back in Minden, the Monarchs blanked Woodville again, this time by a 3-0 score.

Outstanding players in the series were goaltender Ryan Cole, Brandon Davidson, David Williams and Daryl Arbour.

The goal scorers were James Bleakley, Mark Fisher, Cory Harrison, Jason Lyddiatt, Darrin Brown, Andrew Bull, Kolt Smith and Chad Carpenter. Assists went to Shawn Chapman, Cory Simms and Taylor Loughheed.

The Monarchs had to wait until last Wednesday to see who their opposition would be in the championship finals. Woodville edged out Wilberforce for the right to challenge Minden for the championship. The Monarchs will have home ice advantage by virtue of their first-place finish in the semifinals.



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## OFAH Zone E meeting held in Minden

# Concerns of outdoors enthusiasts addressed

Gun controls, native hunting and fishing issues, trout management regulations, the youth conservation camp, the free fishing weekend and proposed muskie size limit changes were among the topics on the agenda at a meeting in Minden on March 5. The gathering, held at the Minden Legion, was the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters Zone E meeting, hosted by the Minden and Area Fur Harvesters.

About 20 people turned out for the meeting, which lasted for more than five hours.

It was generally agreed that educating the public about the outdoor activities of hunting, fishing and trapping are of paramount importance. An informed public will be better equipped to make decisions regarding those activities. And, it is the public who will ultimately decide the future of those recreational activities.

"We have to get out and show people, especially young people, what we do and tell them about our heritage," said Minden and Area Fur Harvesters president Brian Austen. "We need the support of the public."

### Youth Conservation Camp

OFAH Zone E provides a subsidy for young people to attend the Youth Conservation Camp. It was pointed out that the Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association has also set aside funds to help offset the cost of attending the camp for Haliburton County youngsters. A few local kids have attended the camp in the past and their reviews have all been positive.

### Williams Treaty

In spite of public protests, and ignoring a Supreme Court ruling that upheld the terms of the Williams Treaty, Natural Resources Minister Howard Hampton has signed an interim agreement that will allow William Treaty natives to hunt deer and moose outside of the normal seasons. Under the terms of the "community harvest licences" Natives will be allowed to hunt moose from October 1 to December 31 and deer from October 15 to December 31.

OFAH president Terry Smeltzer's comments on the issue: "Public consultation on these agreements was a sham and a complete waste of taxpayers' time and money. These agreements weren't put together overnight. It must have taken months to hammer out the details. So, while the pretended to be listening to the people and acting on our concerns, it was secretly negotiating this deal with the Williams Treaty natives. Why did they even

bother with pretending to carry out public consultation."

The seven bands covered by the Williams Treaty may also fish year round, ignoring the closed seasons that were established for conservation purposes.

The audience was told it is not too late to make your feelings known. Some postcards addressed to the Prime Minister and the local MP were distributed.

### Ontario family fishing weekend

The upcoming licence-free fishing weekend, set for July 7 to 9 was another topic on the agenda. Chair Norm Jung suggested that local clubs such as the HHOA get involved by sponsoring events to coincide with the MNR's licence-exempt fishing weekend.

It was pointed out that the conservation limits must be observed during that weekend for non-licensed anglers. That means that the limit on walleye, for example may be two instead of the usual five, or six, depending on the area.

### MNR priorities shifting

Outdoors enthusiasts will have to take a more active role in the management of Ontario's natural resources. MNR budgets continue to be slashed and ministry priorities are shifting and it will be depending more on a partnership with the resource users.

It was suggested that if anglers and hunters don't become involved, there is a danger that they will become "cash cows" with a real possibility of supporting resource management by people who don't share their interests.



OFAH MEETING: The Zone E meeting of the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters was held at the Minden Legion. The meeting was sponsored by the Minden and Area Fur Harvesters. Dan Buhl (left) is the local representative on the Zone E board. Seen here with Buhl are Alf Beck, chair Norm Jung, Eric Smith, Alan Woodcock and Larry Schwager.

"One has to wonder how far this government will go to mislead the public and misrepresent the facts to satisfy its political agenda," Smeltzer is quoted as saying at the OFAH annual conference on February 24. "This is a sad day for conservation."

Hunting and fishing as you know it today will no longer be the same in three to five years was an ominous message from the Pembroke Outdoor Sportsmen's Club that was circulated at the meeting in Minden.

### Gun control

The subject of gun control remains a hot issue. Those in attendance at the meeting were encouraged to take part in the "Stick To Your Guns" fund-raising dinner at the Toronto Airport Holiday Inn on March 24. The event is co-sponsored by the OFAH and the Ontario Handgun Association.

OFAH members were also encouraged to write to Richard Dupuis, the clerk for the Standing Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs opposing Bill C-68.

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# Lougheeds compete at world's

Minden sled dog racer Steve Lougheed and his son Jesse placed ninth and sixteenth respectively in world championship competition March 11 and 12 at Lake Placid, New York.

The two were members of the Canadian team of over 30 attending the competition co-ordinated by the International Federation of Sled Dog Sports.

Steve Lougheed competed in the eight dog class and completed the 24 km course with a two day total of 59:43.4. Six Canadians placed in the top ten in this division. He was just one minute and 15 seconds behind first place finisher John Samburgh of the U.S..

Jesse competed in the four dog class with a time of 24:57.8, four minutes behind first place finisher Uwe Radant of Germany. The four dog competitors ran 10 km over the two days.

The competition drew participants from eight countries, including five from Europe and an entrant from Japan. Events were held for four, six, eight and unlimited sled dog sprint races (similar

to those held in Minden) and men's and women's Pulka class. (Pulka involves a single racer on cross-country skis pulled by one or two dogs.)

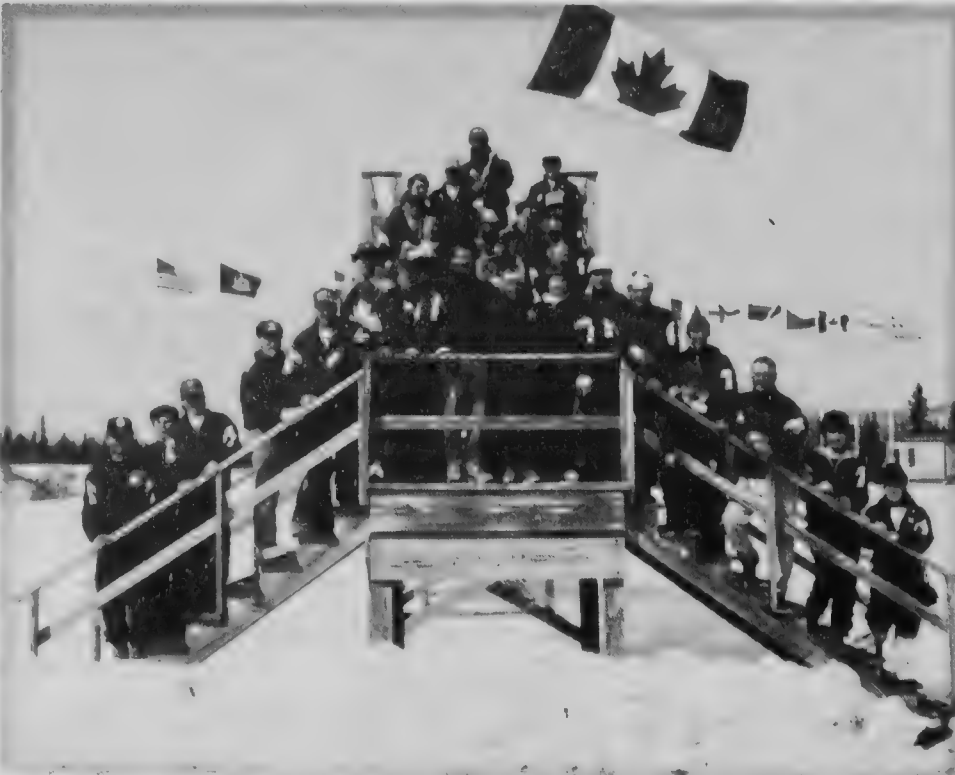
The race was held at the site of the 1982 Winter Olympics on the biathlon trail. According to the racers, the trail was extremely

hilly. One competitor said it made the hills encountered at the Minden Sled Dog Derby seem flat.

Steve Lougheed was not only a competitor, but headed up the Canadian team to the races. Martin Pet Food, the sponsors of the Minden Sled Dog Derby shared in the spon-

sorship of this international event.

The world championship not only provides a venue for the world's top racers, but is also provides an opportunity to demonstrate the sport's suitability for Olympic competition.



As team captain and Minden musher Steve Lougheed holds the Canadian flag aloft, members of the Canadian team at the Sled Dog World Championships, pose for a photo at the Lake Placid, New York Olympic site..



Steve Lougheed directs his eight dog team out of the start chute during the first day of competition.

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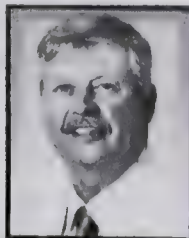


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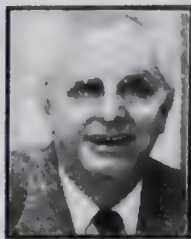
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## Park will provide a window on the natural world

# Field Naturalists will manage Snowdon Park

by Jerry Grozelle

The Haliburton Highlands Field Naturalists have entered into an agreement with Snowdon Township to take over management of Snowdon Park. The municipality had neither the funds nor the human resources to develop the 103 acre park into a usable public facility.

HHFN president Gordon Smith said that his group has some ambitious plans for the development of the park. Work is expected to begin within the next couple of weeks, with the clearing of some existing trails and the opening of new ones. Work on the access road will also have to be done.

"The intent is to revitalize the area to provide educational and recreational opportunities," Smith said.

Smith credits HHFN past president Verne Graham as the inspiration for the project.

"Verne spearheaded it," Smith said. "It was his foresight, energy and commitment that resulted in the agreement with Snowdon Township."

The park will be a reserve, where people can go to observe nature, identify the flora and fauna of the area and enjoy a stroll in a natural setting.

About half of the property is wetland and eventually, says Graham, the plan is to erect some observation towers. In the meantime, HHFN members will be building some nesting boxes for wood ducks.

A commitment of \$2,500 has been received from the Federation of Ontario Naturalists Environmental Partners Fund. Snowdon Township will provide some funding as well.

Smith said it is hoped that schools in the area will take advantage of the park as an educational resource, where youngsters can learn first hand the value of the ecosystem.

"It is the beginning of some good things for the future," Smith said.

The park is located just south of the South Lake Road on the west side of Haliburton County Road 1.

The agreement might have been reached earlier, but some members of the HHFN were concerned about liability. That issue has been resolved. Snowdon Township's insurance policy will cover visitors to the park and the insurance held by the Field Naturalists will cover members when they are working on site.

When the papers were being signed at the Snowdon Township office on March 13, reeve George Simmons said that the park has great potential.

"With the partnership of the Haliburton County Field Naturalists, this could be Snowdon's Wye Marsh of the future," he said.

A press release issued by Snowdon Township states: "Council has enthusiastically encouraged the



proposal by the Field Naturalists to revitalize interest in the park as a natural area for the enjoyment of the public. Council feels the Field Naturalists bring the expertise and commitment to the environment to successfully manage the development of the park.

In recent years, interest in the park has waned and public involvement dwindled. This agreement will reflect the original development proposal for the Park as a natural area, as suggested in the draft mapping prepared by Sir Sandford Fleming students (who were) studying natural resources in the early 1980s."

## Signing on the dotted line

Haliburton Highlands Field Naturalist president Gordon Smith, left, and Snowdon Reeve George Simmons sign an agreement which will allow the club to develop the Snowdon Park. The agreement was signed March 13 at the municipality's regular council meeting. Also on hand to witness the signing were past president of the HHFN Verne Graham, left, and member Michael Collins.



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Left: sap dripping from a tap. Centre and right: Cooper brothers Earl and Sid gathering buckets.

## Springtime in the sugar bush...

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Left: brother Al adds wood. Right: Earl, Sid, and Al, pouring over. Al's grandson David Robb looks on.







Kuno and Robinson in rehearsal: A tense, edgy relationship.

## Little Theatre takes on classic American drama

by Andrew Milne

Manipulation, deception, despair. Aimless, isolated, miserable people living ugly little lives, now wandering in an alcohol-numbed stupor, now ricocheting off each other — their hatred fired by lives lived too close together, too long.

And, just every once in a while, finding just a little beauty in all of it, and in each other.

Welcome to reality, as drawn by Eugene O'Neill in the American classic *A Moon for the Misbegotten*.

Staged by the Highlands Little Theatre, *Moon* is coming to Haliburton March 31, April 1, and April 7-8.

It's a difficult work for the actors, says director Irene Lubowitz, primarily because of the intricate battery of shifting facades their characters put up. The roles are those of complicated, confused, angry people, deeply unhappy with themselves and their lives, and constantly projecting different personas to cover this.

"Basically," says Lubowitz, "it's quite a lot of communication in which they're really not communicating."

Anita Kuno nods. "Yeah," she says. "A lot of talk that is more distraction, more manipulation."

Kuno plays lead character Josie Hogan, the 28-year old daughter of farmer Phil Hogan (played by Tom Robinson). The father is a bitter, inveterate alcoholic whose only remaining joys in life are in sparring with and

attempting to dominate the remnants of his family and in ripping off anyone dense enough to let him. The daughter is a restless, angry, self-hating misfit who wears her brazen, unrepentant sexuality like both badge and shield. Much of the play consists of the tense, edgy interaction between the two.

Lubowitz seems happy with the challenge the work presents, however, and says she believes her cast is up to it. "It's coming along well," she says.

For all that it is a less than romantic look at the lives of human beings, the play isn't all venom. There's a certain understated tenderness in the relationship between father and daughter as well, and after a few months of working on it, Kuno and Robinson — in rehearsal last week — do seem to have a definite feel for this.

And there are touches of humour, if you're listening. There is a little romance too — the title refers to the moon that rises over Josie and a fellow misfit, landlord Jim Tyrone (played by Shawn Hagerman).

*Moon* isn't the company's first drama, and no one present at last week's rehearsal could say whether it qualified as the most difficult they have attempted. That it is a classic, however, says Lubowitz, does add to the pressure.

*Moon* is also the little theatre's entry in the Eastern Ontario Drama League competition.

General admission is \$7 in advance, \$8 at the door. Seniors and students pay \$5 in advance, \$6 at the door. Curtain is 8 pm at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School in Haliburton Village.



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Spring is in the air, and among other things, it is a traditional time for weddings. Campbell's Flowers and Gifts in Minden recently held an evening especially for brides to help them plan their nuptials. Kelly Dollo, left, and Kim Elias, right joined proprietor Pat Campbell Wednesday at her Minden store to examine the displays and prepare for the big day. Couples looking for more ideas for their wedding day may also be interested in the bridal show scheduled for this Sunday at Wigamog Inn.

## O'Reilly appointed to committee

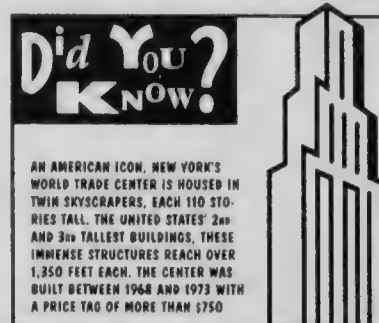
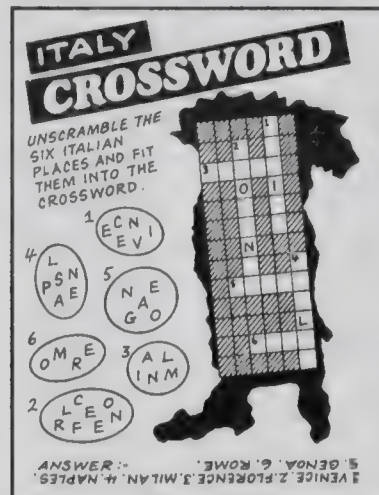
Victoria-Haliburton MP John O'Reilly has been named to the House of Commons standing committee on Human Resources Development.

"The chief government Whip, Mr. Don Boudria asked me to sit on this committee and it is certainly an honour to participate in such an important body, especially one dealing with pressing social issues," Mr. O'Reilly said.

One of the first priorities of the com-

mittee will be to deal with Bill C-54, an Act to amend the Old Age Security Act, the Canada Pension Plan, the Children's Special Allowances Act and the Unemployment Insurance Act.

"I look forward to working with my colleagues on this committee and to assist the Minister of Human Resources, Lloyd Axworthy with his proposed amendments to Bill C-54," O'Reilly stated.



### International Intrigue

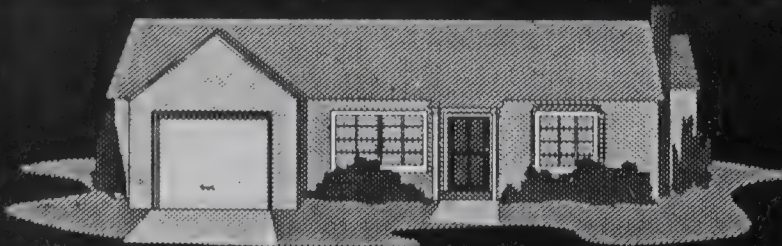
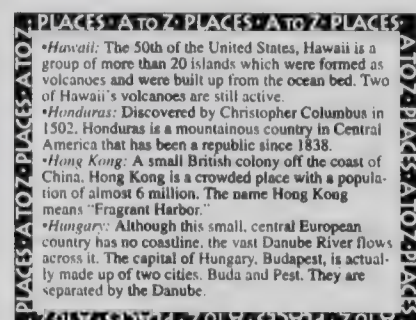
You may know a lot about your town, state or country, but how much do you know about the world? Test your knowledge by taking this quiz. Circle the correct answer.

1. The world's smallest independent country, it is home of the Sistine Chapel and St. Peter's Basilica.
  - a. Kuwait
  - b. Madagascar
  - c. Vatican City
  - d. Florence
2. Known for its windmills, the main language of this country is Dutch.
  - a. Holland
  - b. Denmark
  - c. Norway
  - d. Dutchland
3. Which one is not a Scandinavian country?
  - a. Norway
  - b. Sweden
  - c. Finland
  - d. Greece
4. The largest of the countries that made up the former Soviet Union, it has been threatened with economic and food supply problems.
  - a. Russia
  - b. Cuba
  - c. Hungary
  - d. Haiti
5. The Dominican Republic and Haiti occupy this island.
  - a. Dominica
  - b. Jamaica
  - c. Hispaniola
  - d. Trinidad
6. Which is the official name for the currency of Italy?
  - a. Italian dollar
  - b. Shilling
  - c. Lira
  - d. Pound
7. A holy land to Jews, Christians and Muslims, the people of this country have seen many wars.
  - a. Australia
  - b. Sweden
  - c. Israel
  - d. Finland
8. A leader in the production of electronics, this long, narrow string of islands makes up a country of more than 120 million residents.
  - a. Japan
  - b. Chile
  - c. Italy
  - d. Kenya
9. The largest and most populous island in the Mediterranean, its capital city is Palermo.
  - a. Corsica
  - b. Sicily
  - c. Venice
  - d. Tunisia
10. This small, wealthy Arab nation was invaded by Iraq in 1990.
  - a. Greece
  - b. Tunisia
  - c. Kuwait
  - d. Kenya
11. The most populous country, its people make up one-fifth of the world's population.
  - a. India
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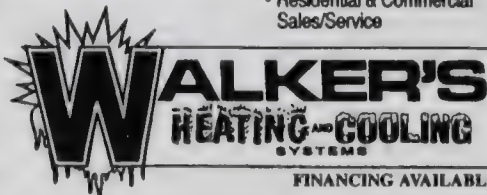
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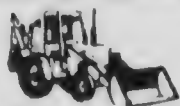
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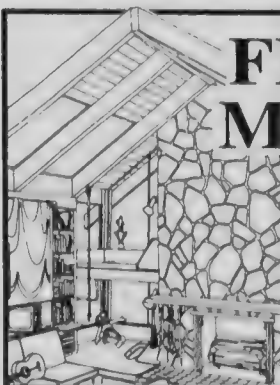


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## Minden W.I. March meeting

Vice President Jean Cox welcomed all to the March 15 meeting of the Minden Women's Institute at the Library Cultural Centre. Two guests were present, Doris Coburn of Oshawa and Kerry Bebee, a student at Trent University in Peterborough.

The twelve members answered the roll call with an Irish verse, song or saying.

The V.E. District report, given by director Mary Cox, told us that the District had a nice balance and had the Tweedsmuir Book photo copied. The District Annual will be held at the Fenelon Falls United Church on May 10. Minden will host the 1996 annual meeting.

Irene Moore reported sending 15 cards since last month and collections for the card fund and Pennies for Friendship were taken. Correspondence was read. The programme for the next meeting, April 19, was updated. Convener Doris Grant gave a report on Interna-

tional Affairs with the book *Mamatoto* as a base. This contained many beliefs from around the world on women and birth of babies, including details of conditions during pregnancy, celebrations such as baby showers, unusual gifts, place of birthing, celebrations and announcements. This was an informative paper covering a variety of world conditions. We all joined in our appreciation.

Kerry Bebee then spoke on her school thesis. Hopefully members will provide her with information.

Some members plan to go on the chartered bus organized through Bury's Green Branch to the Quilt Show in June at the Agricultural Museum near Milton.

The meeting was then adjourned and a small draw was won by Nora Briggs. All enjoyed a snack from the table decorated with shamrocks and lighted candles. A social time followed.

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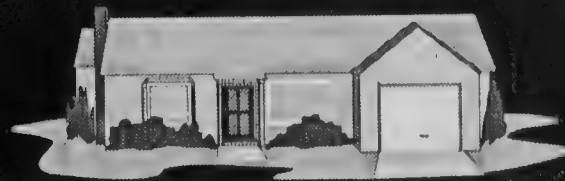


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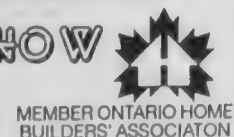
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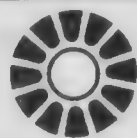
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| 6:30           | First National        | 6:30            | First National        |
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| 7:30           | Entertainment Tonight | 7:30            | Entertainment Tonight |
| 8:00           | Coach                 | 8:00            | Coach                 |
| 8:30           | Dave's World          | 8:30            | Dave's World          |
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| 9:30           | Ray Bradbury Theatre  | 9:30            | Ray Bradbury Theatre  |
| 10:00          | Chicago Hope          | 10:00           | Chicago Hope          |
| 11:00          | The World Tonight     | 11:00           | The World Tonight     |



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| Mon., March 20 |                          | Tues., March 21 |                   |
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| 8:00           | Fresh Prince of Bel Air  | 8:00            | Fifth Estate      |
| 8:30           | Blossom                  | 9:00            | Magnum P.I.       |
| 9:00           | Marketplace              | 10:00           | Primetime News    |
| 9:30           | Royal Canadian Air Force | 11:00           | Total News        |
| 10:00          | Primetime News           | 11:35           | The Money File    |
| 11:00          | Total News               | 12:37           | Perry Mason       |
| 11:35          | Perry Mason              | 12:38           | Ironside          |
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| 8:00  | Wings            |
| 8:30  | Wings            |
| 9:00  | Frasier          |
| 9:30  | Grace Under Fire |
| 10:00 | NYPD Blue        |
| 11:00 | Global News      |
| 11:30 | Sportsline       |
| 12:05 | A Current Affair |
| 12:35 | Barnaby Jones    |
| 1:35  | Mr. Belvedere    |
| 2:05  | Super Dave       |

Wed., March 22

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| 5:30  | First News            |
| 6:00  | News At Six           |
| 6:30  | First National        |
| 7:00  | A Current Affair      |
| 7:30  | Entertainment Tonight |
| 8:00  | Sliders               |
| 10:00 | Northern Exposure     |
| 11:00 | The World Tonight     |
| 11:30 | Sportsline            |
| 12:05 | A Current Affair      |
| 12:35 | Barnaby Jones         |
| 1:35  | Mr. Belvedere         |
| 2:05  | Super Dave            |

Thurs., March 23

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| 5:30 | First News  |
| 6:00 | News At Six |

|       |                       |
|-------|-----------------------|
| 6:30  | First National        |
| 7:00  | A Current Affair      |
| 7:30  | Entertainment Tonight |
| 8:00  | Mad About You         |
| 8:30  | Mad About You         |
| 9:00  | Seinfeld              |
| 9:30  | Friends               |
| 10:00 | The X-Files           |
| 11:00 | Global News           |
| 11:30 | Sportsline            |
| 12:05 | A Current Affair      |
| 12:35 | Barnaby Jones         |
| 1:35  | Mr. Belvedere         |
| 2:05  | Super Dave            |

Fri., March 24

|       |                                           |
|-------|-------------------------------------------|
| 5:30  | First News                                |
| 6:00  | News At Six                               |
| 6:30  | First National                            |
| 7:00  | A Current Affair                          |
| 7:30  | Molson Leaf Hockey: Winnipeg Jets/Toronto |
| 10:30 | Super Dave                                |
| 11:00 | The World Tonight                         |
| 11:30 | Sportsline                                |
| 12:05 | Entertainment Tonight                     |
| 12:35 | 20/20                                     |
| 1:35  | Movie: Silhouette                         |

Sat., March 25

|      |                   |
|------|-------------------|
| 1:35 | Gilligan's Island |
| 2:05 | Paid Programming  |

Fri., March 24

|       |                   |
|-------|-------------------|
| 6:00  | Total News        |
| 7:00  | All In The Family |
| 7:30  | M*A*S*H*          |
| 8:00  | Rita and Friends  |
| 8:30  | Side Effects      |
| 9:00  | Primetime News    |
| 10:00 | Total News        |
| 11:00 | The Money File    |
| 11:37 | Movie: Blow Up    |
| 1:57  | Movie: Cape Fear  |
| 4:09  | Movie: The Climax |
| 5:55  | Body Tech         |

Sat., March 25

|      |                   |
|------|-------------------|
| 6:25 | Total News        |
| 7:00 | Rocket Robin Hood |
| 7:30 | Rocket Robin Hood |
| 8:00 | Town and Country  |
| 8:30 | Canadian Gardener |

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|-------|-----------------------------------|
| 6:00  | Teddy Ruxpin                      |
| 6:30  | Tell-A-Tale Town                  |
| 7:00  | The Carebears                     |
| 7:30  | Little Flying Bears               |
| 8:00  | Power Rangers                     |
| 8:30  | Animaniacs                        |
| 9:00  | Animaniacs                        |
| 9:30  | Eek the Cat                       |
| 10:00 | Dog City                          |
| 10:30 | Saved by the Bell                 |
| 11:00 | Saved by the Bell                 |
| 11:30 | Batman and Robin                  |
| 12:00 | Kidsbeat                          |
| 12:30 | Young Robin Hood                  |
| 1:00  | Adventures of Tin Tin             |
| 1:30  | Adventures of Tin Tin             |
| 2:00  | OHL Game of the Week: Playoffs    |
| 5:00  | Bugs and Tweety Hour              |
| 6:00  | News                              |
| 6:30  | Focus Ontario                     |
| 7:00  | The Red Green Show                |
| 7:30  | Danger Bay                        |
| 8:00  | Canadian Wilderness Journal       |
| 8:30  | Family Playhouse                  |
| 9:00  | The Commish                       |
| 10:00 | The Marshall                      |
| 11:00 | The World Tonight                 |
| 11:30 | Saturday Night Live               |
| 1:00  | HBO Comedy Special: Dennis Miller |

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|----------------|------------------------|
| 2:00           | Mr. Belvedere          |
| 2:30           | Super Dave             |
| Sun., March 26 |                        |
| 5:00           | Kenneth Copeland       |
| 5:30           | Faith 20               |
| 6:00           | Circle Square          |
| 6:30           | Smoggy                 |
| 7:00           | Size Small             |
| 7:30           | Free Willy             |
| 8:00           | Tiny Toons             |
| 8:30           | Tiny Toons             |
| 9:00           | Alvin & The Chipmunks  |
| 9:30           | Alvin & The Chipmunks  |
| 10:00          | Hour of Power          |
| 11:00          | James Robinson         |
| 11:30          | Benny Hinn             |
| 12:00          | Danger Bay             |
| 12:30          | Terry Winter           |
| 1:00           | Favourite Songs        |
| 1:30           | Town & Country Ontario |
| 2:00           | Computer Show          |
| 2:30           | Kidstreet V            |
| 3:00           | Babar                  |
| 3:30           | Cottage Life           |
| 4:00           | Super Dave             |
| 4:30           | Batman                 |
| 5:00           | Bugs and Tweety Hour   |

Sun., March 26

|       |                                                         |
|-------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| 9:00  | Urban Peasant                                           |
| 9:30  | Lynette Jennings Home                                   |
| 10:00 | Star Trek                                               |
| 11:00 | Three Stooges Festival                                  |
| 12:00 | Little Rascals Festival                                 |
| 1:00  | Gilligan's Island                                       |
| 1:30  | Cottage Country                                         |
| 2:00  | Real Fishing                                            |
| 2:30  | Acura World of Golf                                     |
| 3:00  | Sportsweekend: World Sprint Speed Skating Championships |
| 4:30  | Sportsweekend: World Cup Finals                         |
| 6:00  | Total News                                              |
| 6:30  | Disney: The Computer Wore Shoes - part 2                |
| 7:30  | HNIC                                                    |
| 10:30 | HNIC                                                    |
| 1:30  | Movie: Duck Soup                                        |
| 2:56  | Movie: Animal Crackers                                  |
| 4:58  | Taxi                                                    |
| 5:30  | WKRP in Cincinnati                                      |

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|-------|------------------------|
| 6:00  | Body Tech              |
| 6:30  | Raccoons               |
| 7:00  | Rocket Robin Hood      |
| 7:30  | World Vision           |
| 8:30  | Dr. John Wesley White  |
| 9:00  | Peoples Church         |
| 10:00 | Lost in Space          |
| 11:00 | Three Stooges Festival |
| 12:00 | Three Stooges Festival |
| 1:00  | Country Canada         |
| 1:30  | Man Alive              |
| 2:00  | Up & Coming            |
| 2:30  | Travel Magazine        |
| 3:00  | Nature of Things       |
| 4:00  | Odyssey                |
| 4:30  | World of Skiing        |
| 5:00  | Knight Rider           |
| 6:00  | Total News             |
| 6:30  | All In the Family      |
| 7:00  | Road to Avonlea        |
| 8:00  | Juno Awards 1995       |
| 10:00 | Sunday Report          |
| 10:25 | Venture                |

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|-------|------------------|
| 10:53 | Nations Business |
| 11:00 | Total News       |
| 11:30 | World of Skiing  |
| 12:00 | Paid Programming |
| 12:30 | Paid Programming |
| 1:00  | Paid Programming |
| 1:30  | Paid Programming |
| 2:00  | Paid Programming |

Mon., March 27

|       |                          |
|-------|--------------------------|
| 6:00  | Total News               |
| 7:00  | All In The Family        |
| 7:30  | M*A*S*H*                 |
| 8:00  | Fresh Prince of Bel Air  |
| 8:30  | Fresh Prince of Bel Air  |
| 9:00  | Marketplace              |
| 9:30  | Royal Canadian Air Force |
| 10:00 | Primetime News           |
| 11:00 | Total News               |
| 11:35 | Perry Mason              |
| 12:35 | Remington Steele         |
| 1:35  | Mork and Mindy           |
| 2:05  | Paid Programming         |



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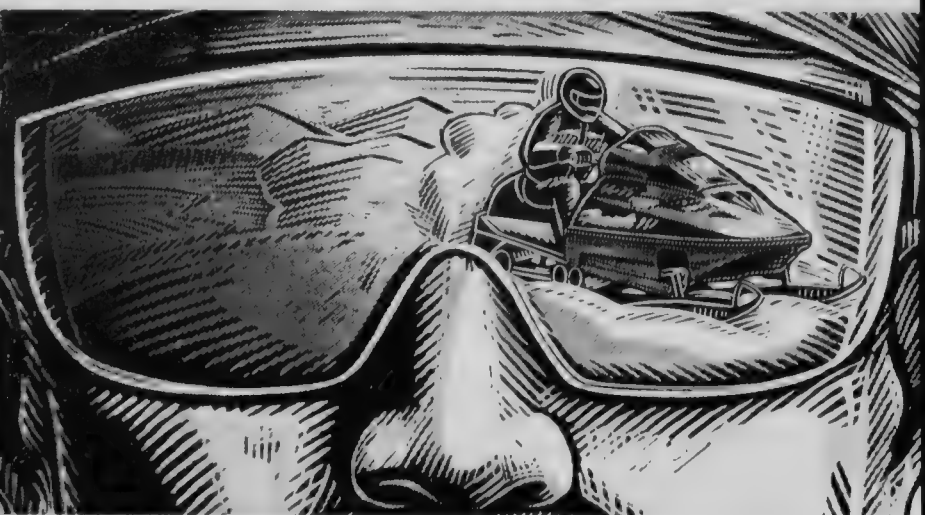
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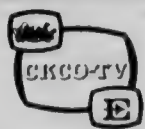
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## CKCO

| Mon., March 20             |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| 6:00 CKCO-TV News          | 9:30 Pride & Joy             |
| 7:00 Wings                 | 10:00 W-5                    |
| 7:30 American Journal      | 11:00 CTV News               |
| 8:00 Baywatch              | 11:30 CKCO-TV News           |
| 9:00 Murphy Brown          | 12:00 Regal Capital Planners |
| 9:30 Cybill                | 12:30 Making Money Live      |
| 10:00 Law and Order        | 1:00 Barney Miller           |
| 11:00 CTV News             | 1:30 Sanford & Son           |
| 11:30 CKCO-TV News         | 2:00 Incredible Hulk         |
| 12:00 Jo Jo's Psychic      | 3:00 Love and Passion        |
| 12:30 Time Warner Fab 50's | 3:30 Love and Passion        |
| 1:00 Barney Miller         |                              |
| 1:30 Sanford and Son       |                              |
| 2:00 Incredible Hulk       |                              |
| Tues., March 21            |                              |
| 6:00 CKCO-TV News          | 9:30 Pride & Joy             |
| 7:00 Wings                 | 10:00 W-5                    |
| 7:30 American Journal      | 11:00 CTV News               |
| 8:00 Top Cops              | 11:30 CKCO-TV News           |
| 9:00 Roseanne              | 12:00 Regal Capital Planners |
|                            | 12:30 Making Money Live      |
|                            | 1:00 Barney Miller           |
|                            | 1:30 Sanford & Son           |
|                            | 2:00 Incredible Hulk         |
|                            | 3:00 Love and Passion        |
|                            | 3:30 Love and Passion        |
| Wed., March 22             |                              |
| 6:00 CKCO-TV News          | 9:30 Pride & Joy             |
| 7:00 Wings                 | 10:00 W-5                    |
| 7:30 American Journal      | 11:00 CTV News               |
| 8:00 Top Cops              | 11:30 CKCO-TV News           |
| 9:00 Roseanne              | 12:00 Regal Capital Planners |
|                            | 12:30 Making Money Live      |
|                            | 1:00 Barney Miller           |
|                            | 1:30 Sanford & Son           |
|                            | 2:00 Incredible Hulk         |
|                            | 3:00 Love and Passion        |
|                            | 3:30 Love and Passion        |



# channel 12

| Mon., March 20                |                              |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 6:00 Newswatch                | 7:30 Marketplace             |
| 7:00 Roseanne                 | 8:00 Fifth Estate            |
| 7:30 Family Matters           | 9:00 Miami Vice              |
| 8:00 Fresh Prince of Belair   | 10:00 Prime Time News        |
| 8:30 Blossom                  | 11:00 Newswatch              |
| 9:00 Five Mrs. Buchanans      | 11:30 Comics                 |
| 9:30 This Hour Has 22 Minutes | 12:00 Regal Capital Planners |
|                               | 12:30 T.B.A.                 |
|                               | 1:00 Late Night Movie        |
| Tues., March 21               |                              |
| 6:00 Newswatch                | 7:30 Marketplace             |
| 7:00 Roseanne                 | 8:00 Fifth Estate            |
|                               | 9:00 Miami Vice              |
|                               | 10:00 Prime Time News        |
|                               | 11:00 Newswatch              |
|                               | 11:30 Comics                 |
|                               | 12:00 Regal Capital Planners |
|                               | 12:30 T.B.A.                 |
|                               | 1:00 Late Night Movie        |
| Wed., March 22                |                              |
| 6:00 Newswatch                | 7:30 Marketplace             |
| 7:00 Roseanne                 | 8:00 Fifth Estate            |
|                               | 9:00 Miami Vice              |
|                               | 10:00 Prime Time News        |
|                               | 11:00 Newswatch              |
|                               | 11:30 Comics                 |
|                               | 12:00 Regal Capital Planners |
|                               | 12:30 T.B.A.                 |
|                               | 1:00 Late Night Movie        |

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|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1:00 Barney Miller    | 1:30 Sanford and Son  |
| 2:00 Incredible Hulk  | 2:30 Love and Passion |
| 3:00 Love and Passion | 3:30 Love and Passion |

**Thurs., March 23**

|                                        |                                   |
|----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 6:00 CKCO-TV News                      | 9:00 Saturday Morning News        |
| 7:00 Wings                             | 9:30 Canada AM Weekend            |
| 7:30 American Journal                  | 10:00 Today's Inventor            |
| 8:00 Movie: Cagney & Lacey: The Return | 11:00 Bob Vila's Home Again       |
| 10:00 ER                               | 11:30 The Great Outdoorsman       |
| 11:00 CTV News                         | 12:00 Canadian Sportsfishing      |
| 11:30 CKCO-TV News                     | 12:30 Movie: Secret of My Success |
| 12:00 Hooked on Phonics                | 1:00 Barney Miller                |
| 12:30 Principal Secrets                | 1:30 Head of the Class            |
| 1:00 Barney Miller                     | 2:00 Incredible Hulk              |
| 1:30 Head of the Class                 | 3:00 Love and Passion             |
| 2:00 Incredible Hulk                   | 3:30 Love and Passion             |

**Fri., March 24**

|                                    |                                               |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| 6:00 CKCO-TV News                  | 9:00 Lonesome Dove                            |
| 7:00 Wings                         | 10:00 Roseanne                                |
| 7:30 American Journal              | 10:30 Roseanne                                |
| 8:00 Unsolved Mysteries            | 11:00 CTV News                                |
| 9:00 New York Undercover           | 11:30 CKCO-TV News                            |
| 10:00 Homicide: Life on the Street | 12:00 Jo Jo's Psychic                         |
| 11:00 CTV News                     | 12:30 21st Century Hair                       |
| 11:30 CKCO-TV News                 | 1:00 Movie: Butch & Sundance: The Early Years |
| 12:00 Principal Secrets            | 3:00 Love and Passion                         |
| 12:30 Incredible Hulk              |                                               |
| 1:30 Time Warner Fab 50's          |                                               |
| 2:00 Barney Miller                 |                                               |
| 2:30 Head of the Class             |                                               |
| 3:00 Incredible Hulk               |                                               |
| 4:00 Love and Passion              |                                               |

**Sat., March 25**

|                                  |                              |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 5:30 Jo Jo's Psychic             | 7:00 My Secret Identity      |
| 6:00 Magic Circus                | 8:00 Walk Fit 2              |
| 6:30 Big Top Talent              | 8:30 Gardener's Journal      |
| 7:00 Littlest Hobo               | 9:00 Saturday Morning News   |
| 7:30 Canada AM Weekend           | 10:00 Today's Inventor       |
| 8:00 Bob Vila's Home Again       | 11:00 The Great Outdoorsman  |
| 8:30 Canadian Sportsfishing      | 12:00 Canadian Sportsfishing |
| 9:00 Movie: Secret of My Success | 1:00 Barney Miller           |
| 9:30 Head of the Class           | 1:30 Head of the Class       |
| 10:00 Incredible Hulk            | 2:00 Incredible Hulk         |
| 10:30 Love and Passion           | 3:00 Love and Passion        |
| 11:00 Love and Passion           |                              |

**Sun., March 26**

|                   |                        |
|-------------------|------------------------|
| 6:00 Country Life | 6:30 Christian Science |
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**Lectures**

|                                     |                                                            |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|
| 7:00 Jimmy Swaggart                 | 8:00 Sunday AM                                             |
| 8:00 Question Period                | 10:00 Principal Secrets                                    |
| 10:00 Church Service                | 11:00 Movie: Perry Mason: The Case of the Defiant Daughter |
| 12:00 Movie: Murder 101             | 3:55 Movie: Chances Are                                    |
| 6:00 CKCO-TV News                   | 6:30 Provincewide                                          |
| 7:00 America's Funniest Home Videos | 7:30 America's Funniest Home Videos                        |
| 8:00 SeaQuest                       | 9:00 Movie: Sleep, Baby, Sleep                             |
| 11:00 CTV News                      | 11:30 CKCO-TV News                                         |
| 12:00 Jo Jo's Psychic               | 12:30 Regal Capital Planners                               |
| 1:00 Incredible Hulk                |                                                            |

**Mon., March 27**

|                                              |                              |
|----------------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 6:00 CKCO-TV News                            | 7:00 Wings                   |
| 7:00 American Journal                        | 8:00 Barbara Walters Special |
| 9:00 Special: The 67th Annual Academy Awards | 12:00 CTV News               |
| 12:30 CKCO-TV News                           | 1:00 Incredible Hulk         |
| 2:00 Barney Miller                           | 2:30 Night Court             |
| 11:30 Iranian Show                           | 12:00 Man Alive              |
| 12:30 Canadian Gardner                       | 1:00 Country Canada          |
| 1:30 Hymn Sing                               | 2:00 Alive                   |
| 2:30 Lynette Jennings                        | 3:00 Don't Move, Improve     |
| 3:30 50 Up                                   | 4:00 On the Road Again       |
| 4:30 World Vision                            | 5:30 Newswatch               |
| 6:00 Disney                                  | 7:00 Road to Avonlea         |
| 8:00 Juno Awards                             | 10:00 Sunday Report/Venture  |
| 11:00 Newswatch                              | 11:30 Health Show            |
| 12:00 Northern Response                      | 12:30 Regal Capital Planners |
| 1:00 Jo Jo's Psychic                         | 1:30 Money Marketing         |
| 2:00 Country Beat                            |                              |

**Mon., March 27**

|                               |                             |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 6:00 Newswatch                | 7:00 Roseanne               |
| 7:30 Family Matters           | 8:00 Fresh Prince of Belair |
| 8:30 Blossom                  | 9:00 Five Mrs. Buchanans    |
| 9:30 This Hour Has 22 Minutes |                             |

**daytime viewing**

|                                                |                                          |
|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| 5:05 a.m.                                      | 11 Homeworks                             |
| 2 Kenneth Copeland                             | 12 Price is Right                        |
| 5:30 a.m.                                      | 11:30 a.m.                               |
| 2 Faith 20                                     | 2 Company's Coming                       |
| 11 Commercial Program (Mon., Wed. only)        | 11 Travel, Travel                        |
| 12 Commercial Program (Mon. only)              | 12:00 noon                               |
| 6:00 a.m.                                      | 2 Global News                            |
| 2 Teddy Ruxpin                                 | 3 Leave It To Beaver                     |
| 3 (5:55) Body Tech                             | 11 CKCO-TV News                          |
| 11 CKCO-TV News                                | 12 Midday                                |
| 12 Newswatch Repeat                            | 12:30 p.m.                               |
| 6:30 a.m.                                      | 3 Total News                             |
| 2 Kitty Cats                                   | 1:00 p.m.                                |
| 3 (6:25) Total News                            | 2 Days of Our Lives                      |
| 11 Canada A.M.                                 | 3 All My Children                        |
| 12 Body Moves                                  | 11 Shirley                               |
|                                                | 12 All My Children                       |
| 7:00 a.m.                                      | 2:00 p.m.                                |
| 2 Carebears                                    | 2 Divorce Court                          |
| 3 Breakfast Television with Total News Inserts | 3 Cityline                               |
| 12 Morning News                                | 11 Another World                         |
|                                                | 12 As The World Turns                    |
| 7:30 a.m.                                      | 2:30 p.m.                                |
| 2 Power Rangers                                | 2 Entertainment Desk                     |
| 8:00 a.m.                                      | 3:00 p.m.                                |
| 2 Animaniacs                                   | 2 General Hospital                       |
|                                                | 3 Degraasi Jr. High                      |
| 8:30 a.m.                                      | 11 The Montel Williams Show              |
| 2 Inspector Gadget                             | 12 Guiding Light                         |
| 9:00 a.m.                                      | 3:30 p.m.                                |
| 2 Worldvision                                  | 3 Fresh Prince of Bel Air                |
| 3 Sesame Street                                |                                          |
| 11 McLean & Company                            | 4:00 p.m.                                |
| 12 James Robison                               | 2 Saved By The Bell                      |
|                                                | 3 Bionic Woman or Six Million Dollar Man |
| 9:30 a.m.                                      | 11 Inside Edition                        |
| 11 Everyday Workout                            | 12 Degraasi High                         |
| 12 Urban Peasant                               |                                          |
| 10:00 a.m.                                     | 4:30 p.m.                                |
| 2 Doctor, Doctor                               | 2 The Young and the Restless             |
| 3 Theodore Tugboat                             | 11 Roseanne                              |
| 11 Lonely Chief or T.B.A.                      | 12 Charles in Charge                     |
| 12 Theodore Tugboat                            |                                          |
| 10:15 a.m.                                     | 5:00 p.m.                                |
| 3 Fred Penner's Place                          | 3 Beverly Hillsbillies                   |
| 12 Fred Penner's Place                         | 11 Cheers                                |
|                                                | 12 The Simpsons                          |
| 10:30 a.m.                                     | 5:30 p.m.                                |
| 2 100 Huntley Street                           | 2 First News                             |
| 3 Mr. Dress Up                                 | 3 M*A*S*H                                |
| 11 Supermarket Sweep                           | 11 Cheers                                |
| 12 Mr. Dress Up                                | 12 Fresh Prince                          |
| 11:00 a.m.                                     |                                          |
| 3 Perry Mason                                  |                                          |
| Minutes                                        | 12:00 Regal Capital Planners             |
| 10:00 Prime Time News                          | 12:30 Jo Jo's Psychic                    |
| 11:00 Newswatch                                | Alliance                                 |
| 11:30 Comics                                   | 1:00 Late Night Movie                    |



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| Mon., March 20                                  |                              |
|-------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 4:00 Here's How                                 | 10:00 Mulberry               |
| 6:00 Car Care with Mary Bellows                 | 10:30 Waiting for God        |
| 6:30 Volunteer Board Training                   | 11:00 The Senior Report      |
| 7:00 A Time to Grow                             | 11:30 Challenge Journal      |
| 7:30 Living in the Light                        | 12:00 The Quest for the Rose |
| 8:00 Polka Dot Shorts                           | 12:30 Question Period        |
| 8:10 Tots TV                                    |                              |
| 8:30 Polka Dot Door                             |                              |
| 9:00 Join In!                                   |                              |
| 9:30 Kids Canada                                |                              |
| 9:40 Readalong                                  |                              |
| 9:50 The Riddle of Wizard's Oak                 |                              |
| 10:05 Téléfrançais                              |                              |
| 10:15 Take a Look                               |                              |
| 10:25 Here's How!                               |                              |
| 10:35 Bookmice                                  |                              |
| 11:05 Iris the Happy Professor                  |                              |
| 11:30 Chicken Minute                            |                              |
| 12:00 Polka Dot Door                            |                              |
| 12:30 Waste Not 3                               |                              |
| 1:00 Parenting                                  |                              |
| 1:15 Simply Nutritious                          |                              |
| 1:30 A Career in Real Estate                    |                              |
| 2:00 Car Care with Mary Bellows                 |                              |
| 2:30 Pins and Needles                           |                              |
| 3:00 Look and Cook                              |                              |
| 3:30 Widget                                     |                              |
| 4:00 T.B.A.                                     |                              |
| 4:30 Art Attack                                 |                              |
| 4:45 T.B.A.                                     |                              |
| 5:00 Pingu                                      |                              |
| 5:05 Polka Dot Shorts                           |                              |
| 5:15 Tots TV                                    |                              |
| 5:30 Polka Dot Door                             |                              |
| 6:00 Runaway Bay                                |                              |
| 6:30 Disney Presents: Bill Nye, the Science Guy |                              |
| 7:00 Vista: Dreams of Flight                    |                              |
| 8:00 Studio 2                                   |                              |
| 9:00 Wycliffe                                   |                              |

### Tues., March 21

|                                              |                              |
|----------------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 4:00 Global Geography                        | 10:00 Mulberry               |
| 6:00 Well-Being                              | 10:30 Waiting for God        |
| 6:30 Ancient Civilizations                   | 11:00 The Senior Report      |
| 7:00 Psychology: The Study of Human Behavior | 11:30 Challenge Journal      |
| 7:30 Sociology and Crime                     | 12:00 The Quest for the Rose |
| 8:00 Polka Dot Shorts                        | 12:30 Question Period        |
| 8:10 Tots TV                                 |                              |
| 8:30 Polka Dot Door                          |                              |
| 9:00 Join In!                                |                              |
| 9:30 Kids Canada                             |                              |
| 9:40 Readalong                               |                              |
| 9:50 The Magic Library                       |                              |
| 10:05 The Green Earth Club                   |                              |
| 10:20 Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness   |                              |
| 10:35 Bookmice                               |                              |
| 11:05 Iris the Happy Professor               |                              |
| 11:30 The Adventures of Dudley the Dragon    |                              |
| 12:00 Polka Dot Door                         |                              |
| 12:30 The Senior Report                      |                              |
| 1:00 Information Processing                  |                              |
| 1:15 Business and Consumer Mathematics       |                              |
| 1:30 Writing a Small Business Plan           |                              |
| 2:00 Your Green Home                         |                              |
| 2:30 Well-Being                              |                              |
| 3:00 The Light Gourmet                       |                              |
| 3:30 Widget                                  |                              |
| 4:00 T.B.A.                                  |                              |
| 4:30 Art Attack                              |                              |
| 4:45 T.B.A.                                  |                              |
| 5:00 Pingu                                   |                              |
| 5:05 Polka Dot Shorts                        |                              |

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| 5:15 Tots TV                                    | 7:00 Tales from the Map Room     |
| 5:30 Polka Dot Door                             | 7:30 Inside Education            |
| 6:00 Runaway Bay                                | 8:00 Studio 2                    |
| 6:30 Disney Presents: Bill Nye, the Science Guy | 8:30 Inside the Line 3           |
| 7:00 Journeys                                   | 9:00 Human Edge: Body Shop       |
| 7:30 Living Dangerously 2                       | 11:00 Alexei Sayle's Stuff       |
| 8:00 Studio 2                                   | 11:30 Journeys                   |
| 9:00 Beyond the Clouds                          | 12:00 Vintage: A History of Wine |
| 9:30 Vital Signs: The Good Sex Guide 2          | 12:30 Question Period            |
| 11:00 Archaeology                               |                                  |
| 11:30 Inquiring Minds                           |                                  |
| 12:00 French in Action                          |                                  |
| 12:30 Question Period                           |                                  |

### Wed., March 22

|                                                                            |                              |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 4:00 Global Geography                                                      | 10:00 Mulberry               |
| 4:30 Heritage Minutes                                                      | 10:30 Waiting for God        |
| 5:30 Life without Fear                                                     | 11:00 The Senior Report      |
| 6:00 The County Workshop                                                   | 11:30 Challenge Journal      |
| 6:30 A Career in Real Estate                                               | 12:00 The Quest for the Rose |
| 7:00 The Remaking of Canada: Canadian Government and Politics in the 1990s | 12:30 Question Period        |
| 7:30 Bits and Bytes 2                                                      |                              |
| 8:00 Polka Dot Shorts                                                      |                              |
| 8:10 Tots TV                                                               |                              |
| 8:30 Polka Dot Door                                                        |                              |
| 9:00 Join In!                                                              |                              |
| 9:30 Kids Canada                                                           |                              |
| 9:40 Readalong                                                             |                              |
| 9:50 The Magic Library                                                     |                              |
| 10:05 Téléfrançais                                                         |                              |
| 10:15 Nature Watch Digest                                                  |                              |
| 10:25 Here's How!                                                          |                              |
| 10:35 Bookmice                                                             |                              |
| 11:05 Iris the Happy Professor                                             |                              |
| 11:30 Chicken Minute                                                       |                              |
| 12:00 Polka Dot Door                                                       |                              |
| 12:30 Journeys                                                             |                              |
| 1:00 Small Engines                                                         |                              |
| 1:15 Mathematics for Technology                                            |                              |
| 1:30 How Will You Manage?                                                  |                              |
| 2:00 Charlie White's Fishing Machine                                       |                              |
| 2:30 Pins and Needles                                                      |                              |
| 3:00 Perfect Pet People                                                    |                              |
| 3:30 Widget                                                                |                              |
| 4:00 T.B.A.                                                                |                              |
| 4:30 Art Attack                                                            |                              |
| 4:45 T.B.A.                                                                |                              |
| 5:00 Pingu                                                                 |                              |
| 5:05 Polka Dot Shorts                                                      |                              |
| 5:15 Tots TV                                                               |                              |
| 5:30 Polka Dot Door                                                        |                              |
| 6:00 Runaway Bay                                                           |                              |
| 6:30 Disney Presents: Bill Nye, the Science Guy                            |                              |

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| 7:00 Tales from the Map Room | 9:00 Battlefield Imprint |
| 7:30 Inside Education        | 10:00 Inside Education   |
| 8:00 Studio 2                | 11:00 Waste Not 3        |
| 8:30 Inside the Line 3       | 12:00 The Fish Course    |
| 9:00 Human Edge: Body Shop   | 12:30 Question Period    |

### Thurs., March 23

|                                                     |                              |
|-----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 4:00 Alive in a Nuclear Age                         | 10:00 Mulberry               |
| 6:00 Inside Stories: Journey into Self-Esteem       | 10:30 Waiting for God        |
| 6:30 Business and Consumer Mathematics              | 11:00 The Senior Report      |
| 6:45 Information Processing                         | 11:30 Challenge Journal      |
| 7:00 Sociology                                      | 12:00 The Quest for the Rose |
| 7:30 Introduction to Literature                     | 12:30 Question Period        |
| 8:00 Polka Dot Shorts                               |                              |
| 8:10 Tots TV                                        |                              |
| 8:30 Polka Dot Door                                 |                              |
| 9:00 Join In!                                       |                              |
| 9:30 Kids Canada                                    |                              |
| 9:40 Readalong                                      |                              |
| 9:50 World of Nature                                |                              |
| 10:05 Take Off                                      |                              |
| 10:35 Bookmice                                      |                              |
| 11:05 Iris the Happy Professor                      |                              |
| 11:30 The Adventures of Dudley the Dragon           |                              |
| 12:00 Polka Dot Door                                |                              |
| 12:30 Inside Education                              |                              |
| 1:00 Mathematics for Technology                     |                              |
| 1:15 Business Communications                        |                              |
| 1:30 Home Office Project and Small Business Program |                              |
| 2:00 R-2000: The Better-Built House                 |                              |
| 2:15 R-2000: The Better-Built House                 |                              |
| 2:30 Well-Being                                     |                              |
| 3:00 The Light Gourmet                              |                              |
| 3:30 Widget                                         |                              |
| 4:00 T.B.A.                                         |                              |
| 4:30 Art Attack                                     |                              |
| 4:45 T.B.A.                                         |                              |
| 5:00 Pingu                                          |                              |
| 5:05 Polka Dot Shorts                               |                              |
| 5:15 Tots TV                                        |                              |
| 5:30 Polka Dot Door                                 |                              |
| 6:00 Runaway Bay                                    |                              |
| 6:30 Disney Presents: Bill Nye, the Science Guy     |                              |
| 7:00 Fragile Nature: The Secret World of Bats       |                              |
| 8:00 Studio 2                                       |                              |

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|--------------------------|------------------------|
| 9:00 Battlefield Imprint | 10:00 Inside Education |
| 11:00 Waste Not 3        | 12:00 The Fish Course  |
| 12:30 Question Period    |                        |

### Fri., March 24

|                                                  |                              |
|--------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 4:00 Alive in a Nuclear Age                      | 10:00 Mulberry               |
| 6:00 Charlie White's Fishing Machine             | 10:30 Waiting for God        |
| 6:30 Your Home Office and Small Business Program | 11:00 The Senior Report      |
| 7:00 An Introduction to Geography                | 11:30 Challenge Journal      |
| 8:00 Polka Dot Shorts                            | 12:00 The Quest for the Rose |
| 8:10 Tots TV                                     | 12:30 Question Period        |
| 8:30 Polka Dot Door                              |                              |
| 9:00 Join In!                                    |                              |
| 9:30 Kids Canada                                 |                              |
| 9:40 Readalong                                   |                              |
| 9:50 It's Mainly Music                           |                              |
| 10:05 The Adventures of Dudley the Dragon        |                              |
| 10:35 Bookmice                                   |                              |
| 11:05 Iris the Happy Professor                   |                              |
| 11:35 Chicken Minute                             |                              |
| 12:00 Polka Dot Door                             |                              |
| 12:30 Distant Voices                             |                              |
| 1:00 Live Well, Be Well                          |                              |
| 1:15 Successful Aging                            |                              |
| 1:30 Managing Diversity                          |                              |
| 2:00 The Router                                  |                              |
| 2:30 Pins and Needles                            |                              |
| 3:00 Look and Cook                               |                              |
| 3:30 Widget                                      |                              |
| 4:00 T.B.A.                                      |                              |
| 4:30 Bookmice                                    |                              |
| 4:45 T.B.A.                                      |                              |
| 5:00 Pingu                                       |                              |
| 5:05 Polka Dot Shorts                            |                              |
| 5:15 Tots TV                                     |                              |
| 5:30 Polka Dot Door                              |                              |
| 6:00 The Miraculous Mellops                      |                              |
| 6:30 Kidsports                                   |                              |
| 7:00 Strange Planes                              |                              |
| 8:00 Studio 2                                    |                              |
| 8:30 Fourth Reading                              |                              |
| 9:00 The Buccaneers                              |                              |
| 10:00 Film International: Many Fools             |                              |
| 12:00 Imprint                                    |                              |

### Sat., March 25

|                       |                              |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| 6:00 The Bush Baby    | 10:00 Mulberry               |
| 6:30 Kitty Cats       | 10:30 Waiting for God        |
| 7:00 Eric's World     | 11:00 The Senior Report      |
| 7:30 Chicken Minute   | 11:30 Challenge Journal      |
| 8:00 Polka Dot Shorts | 12:00 The Quest for the Rose |
| 8:10 Tots TV          | 12:30 Question Period        |

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|--------------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| 8:30 Polka Dot Door                              | 10:00 Inside Education |
| 9:00 Join In!                                    | 11:00 Waste Not 3      |
| 9:30 Kids Canada                                 | 12:00 The Fish Course  |
| 9:40 Art Attack                                  | 12:30 Question Period  |
| 10:00 Sewing with Nancy                          |                        |
| 10:30 Stretch Alive                              |                        |
| 11:00 Car Care with Mary Bellows                 |                        |
| 11:30 Madhur Jaffrey's Far Eastern Cookery       |                        |
| 12:00 Delia Smith's Summer Collection            |                        |
| 12:30 The Victorian Kitchen Garden               |                        |
| 1:00 The Royal Commission on Learning Conference |                        |
| 3:00 Something Ventured                          |                        |
| 3:30 Something Ventured                          |                        |
| 4:00 The Adventures of Dudley the Dragon         |                        |
| 4:30 Bookmice                                    |                        |
| 5:00 Pingu                                       |                        |
| 5:05 Polka Dot Shorts                            |                        |
| 5:15 Tots TV                                     |                        |
| 5:30 Polka Dot Door                              |                        |
| 6:00 Supersense                                  |                        |
| 6:30 The Senior Report                           |                        |
| 7:00 Beyond the Clouds                           |                        |
| 8:00 Movie: Woman of the Year                    |                        |
| 10:00 Conversations                              |                        |
| 10:15 Movie: Pat and Mike                        |                        |
| 11:50 Conversations                              |                        |
| 12:00 Wycliffe                                   |                        |

### Sun., March 26

|                                             |                              |
|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 6:00 The Bush Baby                          | 10:00 Mulberry               |
| 6:30 Kitty Cats                             | 10:30 Waiting for God        |
| 7:00 Eric's World                           | 11:00 The Senior Report      |
| 7:30 Chicken Minute                         | 11:30 Challenge Journal      |
| 8:00 Polka Dot Shorts                       | 12:00 The Quest for the Rose |
| 8:10 Polka Dot Door                         | 12:30 Question Period        |
| 9:00 Join In!                               |                              |
| 9:30 Kids Canada                            |                              |
| 9:40 Art Attack                             |                              |
| 10:00 The Long Search                       |                              |
| 11:00 Fourth Reading                        |                              |
| 11:30 Writing a Small Business Plan         |                              |
| 12:00 Loterie                               |                              |
| 12:15 Porte ouverte                         |                              |
| 12:45 Le Français avec Victor               |                              |
| 1:00 Parcours                               |                              |
| 1:30 Règlement de comptes                   |                              |
| 2:00 Vent du sud                            |                              |
| 3:00 J'ai un problème                       |                              |
| 4:00 Les Voyages électroniques de Numérique |                              |
| 4:30 L'Étalon noir                          |                              |
| 5:00 Babar                                  |                              |
| 5:30 À la claire fontaine                   |                              |
| 6:00 Bisou                                  |                              |
| 6:20 Sami                                   |                              |
| 6:30 Volt                                   |                              |

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| 7:00 Dimanche Classique: Festival de Jazz         | 10:05 Téléfrançais             |
| 8:00 Terence Blanchard                            | 10:15 Take a Look              |
| 9:00 Ciné-Nostalgie: Des pissenlits par la racine | 10:25 Here's How!              |
| 10:35 Plaisir de lire                             | 10:35 Bookmice                 |
| 11:05 Panorama                                    | 11:05 Iris the Happy Professor |
| 12:00 Spectacle: Parlez-moi d'amour               | 11:30 Chicken Minute           |

### Mon., March 27

|                                          |                                                 |
|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| 4:00 Here's How!                         | 10:05 Téléfrançais                              |
| 5:30 The Adventures of Dudley the Dragon | 10:15 Take a Look                               |
| 6:00 Car Care with Mary Bellows          | 10:25 Here's How!                               |
| 6:30 Board Basics for Volunteers         | 10:35 Bookmice                                  |
| 7:00 A Time to Grow                      | 11:05 Iris the Happy Professor                  |
| 7:30 A Time to Grow                      | 11:30 Chicken Minute                            |
| 8:00 Polka Dot Shorts                    | 12:00 Polka Dot Door                            |
| 8:10 Tots TV                             | 12:30 Waste Not 3                               |
| 8:30 Polka Dot Door                      | 1:00 Parenting                                  |
| 9:00 Join In!                            | 1:15 Simply Nutritious                          |
| 9:30 Kids Canada                         | 1:30 A Career in Real Estate                    |
| 9:40 Readalong                           | 2:00 Car Care with Mary Bellows                 |
| 9:50 The Riddle of Wizard's Oak          | 2:30 Pins and Needles                           |
| 10:05 Téléfrançais                       | 3:00 Look and Cook                              |
| 10:15 Take a Look                        | 3:30 Widget                                     |
| 10:25 Here's How!                        | 4:00 Join In!                                   |
| 10:35 Bookmice                           | 4:30 Art Attack                                 |
| 11:05 Iris the Happy Professor           | 5:00 Pingu                                      |
| 11:30 Chicken Minute                     | 5:05 Polka Dot Shorts                           |
| 12:00 Polka Dot Door                     | 5:15 Tots TV                                    |
| 12:30 Waste Not 3                        | 5:30 Polka Dot Door                             |
| 1:00 Parenting                           | 6:00 Runaway Bay                                |
| 1:15 Simply Nutritious                   | 6:30 Disney Presents: Bill Nye, the Science Guy |
| 1:30 A Career in Real Estate             | 7:00 Vista: Dreams of Flight                    |
| 2:00 Car Care with Mary Bellows          | 8:00 Studio 2                                   |
| 2:30 Pins and Needles                    | 9:00 P.D. James Mystery                         |
| 3:00 Look and Cook                       | 10:00 Mulberry                                  |
| 3:30 Widget                              | 10:30 Waiting for God                           |
| 4:00 Join In!                            | 11:00 The Senior Report                         |
| 4:30 Art Attack                          | 11:30 Challenge Journal                         |
| 5:00 Pingu                               | 12:00 The Quest for the Rose                    |
| 5:05 Polka Dot Shorts                    | 12:30 Question Period                           |

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# 'Ham' Brown celebrates 90 years

Last week I neglected to mention a big birthday party held at Hyland Crest. Thomas Hamilton, "Ham" Brown celebrated his ninetieth birthday on Sunday March 5. The Ladies' Auxiliary served a lovely lunch. The dietary department provided beverages. Mrs. Brown brought a beautiful birthday cake. A daughter and family came from North Bay, a grandson from London, and granddaughter from Whitby and a son and family from Oakville. There were five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren in attendance. In total there were 64 family and friends and residents there to help Ham celebrate.

Congratulations were also extended from MPP Chris Hodgson, Prime Minister Jean Chretien and Premier Bob Rae.

Gordon Kent also celebrated a birthday that day. Greetings to Gordon.

Monday morning the folks limbered up with fitness. Monday was also shopping day with the company Easy Living bringing in a clothing display for the residents to view. It is great that the folks have an opportunity to shop at home.

In the evening, the Salvation Army brought a message and song to the folks.

Tuesday morning, Rev. Brian Parker conducted a chapel service. It was communion. A memorial service was held for Lorne Fry. Doris played the organ. In the afternoon we had crafts and Doris whipped up some hats from scrap material she had on hand. She sewed and the residents put the trimmings on. The hats were worn at the St. Patrick's Day Party.

In the evening Pearl Cowan got the folks together for a few hands of euchre. Wednesday afternoon Pearl called several games of Bingo. Lynn Cox, Eleanor Crane, Janice Rachar and I helped the folks with their

## Senior League

by Donna Wallace

cards. In the evening the Grandfathers Four entertained in the lounge. Thanks once again fellows.

Thursday morning several residents made pizzas and then sat down and enjoyed them. There was fitness as well with Doris and Janice. In the afternoon the Haliburton U.C.W. hosted a tea party for the residents. It was lovely. The residents appreciate it so much. Thank you ladies for all your efforts.

Friday morning the residents had current events with Janice Rachar. They discussed the health care system with the possible closing of the Minden Hospital.

Friday entertainment for Happy Hour was provided by Connie and Frank Biagi, Frank Faulkner, Paul Cowan and Doris. It was my kind of music, the oldies. Some folks danced, other visited with family and friends. Beverages and goodies were served. Don and Ellen Holden were on bar and Pearl Cowan, Teresa Clement and Janice Rachar served the residents and helped with transportation.

Saturday, Shirley and Murray Davis entertained on the guitar and accordion.

Birthday greetings to Fern Weldon who celebrated on March 11.

Spring is just around the corner, I hope. When you are doing your spring cleaning, don't throw anything away. Bring all resaleable items to Hyland Crest for a future rummage sale. Just remember that one person's junk is another's treasure.

Once again, thanks to anyone who participated in any way this past week at Hyland Crest. Thanks to *The Times* and the *Echo* for the newspapers they bring in for the residents. If you know a resident at Hyland Crest, drop in for a visit. Maybe they don't have anyone to visit them.

Happy St. Patrick's Day.



## CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF STANHOPE

### PUBLIC NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Stanhope, proposes to enact a by-law to stop-up, close and convey to the abutting property owner(s) those parts of the original shore road allowance and also those parts designated as road allowances on Crown Land Surveys set out and described as follows:

FIRSTLY: All and Singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Stanhope in the County of Haliburton and being composed of parts of the original shore allowance lying in from of Lot 11 Concession XII and Part of Lot 11 Concession XII designated as Road Allowance on Crown Land Surveys attached to Instrument No. 2902 being more particularly described as Parts 3, 4, 5 and 6 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of Haliburton County as Plan 19R 6013.

The Proposed By-Law will come before the said Council for consideration at its regular meeting at the Municipal Office in the Township of Stanhope on the 12th day of April, 1995 at the hour of 11:30 a.m., and at that time, the Council will hear in person or by his/her counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard.

DATED: February 22, 1995

Gerald C. Bain, A.M.C.T.  
Clerk-Administrator  
Township of Stanhope  
R.R. #2, Minden, Ontario  
K0M 2K0

## Through information centre

# Housing registry available

The Haliburton Housing Registry is located in the Haliburton County Information Centre, Maple Ave. Haliburton. A current listing is also available at the satellite office in the Municipal Building on Milne Street in Minden.

The registry provides prospective tenants with a guide to currently available housing in the county, and assistance with landlord/tenant questions.

Anyone seeking accommodation should drop in regularly to check the registry board.

Landlords wishing to submit listings are asked to contact the Haliburton Information Centre to register.

For more information, call 457-2733, Monday to Friday or 286-4100 Tuesday.

(NOTE: Due to construction, the Minden office will be closed Tuesday March 21. Regular hours will resume Tuesday March 28.)



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Candidates invited for an interview will be the only applicants receiving a reply.

Gerald Bain, A.M.C.T.  
Clerk-Administrator  
Township of Stanhope  
R.R. #2  
Minden, Ontario  
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## CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF STANHOPE

### PUBLIC NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Stanhope, proposes to enact a by-law to stop-up, close and convey to the abutting property owner(s) those parts of the original allowance for road set out and described as follows:

FIRSTLY: All and Singular that certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Stanhope in the County of Haliburton and being comprised of parts of the original allowance for road between Lot 15 and 16 Concession VII being more particularly described as Parts 7 and 8 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of Haliburton County as Plan 19R 6021.

The Proposed By-Law will come before the said Council for consideration at its regular meeting at the Municipal Office in the Township of Stanhope on the 12th day of April, 1995 at the hour of 12 o'clock and at that time, the Council will hear in person or by his/her counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his land will be prejudicially affected and who applied to be heard.

DATED: March 9, 1995

Gerald C. Bain, A.M.C.T.  
Clerk-Administrator  
Township of Stanhope  
R.R. #2, Minden, Ontario  
K0M 2K0



## COUNTY OF HALIBURTON ROADS DEPARTMENT

### PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE MUNICIPAL ACT AND IN THE MATTER OF A PROPOSED BY-LAW OF THE CORPORATION OF THE COUNTY OF HALIBURTON TO STOP UP, CLOSE AND CONVEY THAT PORTION OF THE COUNTY ROAD SITUATED IN LOT 20 CONCESSION XI IN THE TOWNSHIP OF LUTTERWORTH.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Sections 297 and 300 of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. M.45, as amended, that the Council of The Corporation of the County of Haliburton proposes to consider if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held at the Minden Community Centre, in the Town of Minden, Ontario, on **Wednesday, May 17th**, at 2:00pm, a by-law to Stop-Up, Close and Convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:

Part of Lot 20, concession XI, Township of Lutterworth, County of Haliburton, designated as Part 6, on Preliminary Plan of Survey by Bishop and Wilson Ltd., Ontario Land Surveyors.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said by-law at its meeting to be held at the time and place above mentioned, the Council of the County of Haliburton shall then and there hear in person, or by his counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his land will be prejudicially affected by the said by-law and who applies to be heard.

For more information on the proposed by-law, or to inspect the preliminary survey plan, please contact **Doug Ray** at the County of Haliburton Roads Department, 3 St. Germain Street, Minden, Ontario. Telephone 1-705-286-1762. Office hours are 7am to 4:30pm Monday to Friday.

DATED at the Township of Minden this 15th day of March, 1995.

LESLIE A. SHEPHERD, P.ENG.  
County Engineer  
The Corporation of the County of Haliburton



## Sophomoric solutions imbued with hubris

With sudden speed, human beings have levelled immense tracts of ancient forests, covered the land with concrete and asphalt, poisoned the Great Lakes, vastly reduced the range and numbers of other life forms and changed the chemistry of the atmosphere.

But politicians will not act seriously to minimize the potential harm of these changes, as we saw in political inaction over the threat of global warming a number of weeks ago.

When politicians are confronted by environmental problems demanding major remedial action, they often have two choices. They can make a decision that is wise for the long run but guaranteed to create an immediate storm of protest, or they can do nothing on the chance that nothing catastrophic will happen soon. History shows they always gamble.

It would be political suicide to do otherwise, especially when any benefits would only be realized many years later. That's why northern cod are commercially extinct and why politicians last month refused to act on commitments to reduce carbon dioxide emissions that Canada agreed to at the Earth Summit in 1992.

Business people and economists often argue that unless we are absolutely sure an environmental hazard is real, it is foolhardy to act. Yet we invest billions on the armed services and gigantic economic initiatives to protect us from hazards that are a lot less certain. With global warming, we are playing dice with one of the underpinnings of our survival.

The future is already a lot less certain because the atmosphere, water, soil and biological diversity that were once so reliable have been destabilized by human activity.

Many scientists, who know the global ecological perils are very real and worsening, believe that "Human nature" being what it is, people will only respond when we slam into physical limits and begin to see bodies. Consequently, some argue, since the atmosphere is already being changed inadvertently and since people aren't going to make the necessary response, we have no choice but to use technology to try to correct the problem at hand. For example, geo-engineering is suggested as a way to neutralize the effects of rising greenhouse gases.

The proposed mega-solutions are neither sophisticated nor profound. In fact, they are sophomorically simple but imbued with hubris: If the earth is warming, then cut down on the amount of heat reaching it.

How? Launch huge shields into space to cast a

shadow on the earth, or spread a layer of particles in the upper atmosphere to reflect sunlight back into space.

Alternatively, if too much CO<sub>2</sub> is building up, find a

way to remove the molecule from the air. During the '80s, scientists observed that even though there was plenty of nitrogen and phosphorous in

certain parts of the ocean, phytoplankton that absorb CO<sub>2</sub>, couldn't use it up because the water was iron-poor. When iron was added to flasks of such water, the plant cells multiplied explosively, increasing up to ten times their number.

So it was suggested, if millions of square kilometres of the ocean around Antarctica were dosed with iron, huge phytoplankton blooms would absorb CO<sub>2</sub> into their cells and, upon dying, would carry the carbon down to the ocean floor in their carcasses.

Now any ecologist would have warned that it's one thing to make an observation in a flask and a totally different thing to manipulate an infinitely more complex real world. Still, the idea appealed to some and it was actually tried in the fall of 1993.

In an iron-poor area of the Pacific, 500 kilometres south of the Galapagos Islands, 480 kilograms of iron sulfate was spread over eight square kilometres, increasing iron concentration one-hundred fold.

Over three days, phytoplankton concentration doubled. But instead of increasing ten times the density, the growth rate returned to normal as did iron levels in four days.

Scientists then learned that iron aggregated in a previously unknown way and sank to the bottom while creatures that eat phytoplankton also multiplied rapidly and soon ate up the excess.

It is true that science and technology have advanced at an astonishing rate in the second half of this century. But while scientists are very good at description, they are far less capable of prescription. That is because the real world in which we attempt to carry out our ideas is far more complex than our fragments of insight can encompass, so we can't anticipate all of the consequences.

We are too ignorant of the biological and physical components of the Earth and how they interconnect to even consider such simple-minded notions as geo-engineering the planet. Technology cannot endlessly repair damages created by technology in the first place. The only real control we have is over human activity. It is a dereliction of responsibility to cling to the false hope of technological solutions and therefore fail to curb our own actions.

## Reflections

by David Suzuki



### ATTENTION EQUIPMENT OWNERS

Tender forms are available from the County Roads office to list available equipment and rental rates for the year 1995. All forms to be returned by 2:00 p.m. local time, Tuesday, April 11, 1995. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Specific standard requirements set out by the M.N.R. must be addressed in your proposal. A proof of the map can be viewed at the M.N.R. office in Minden by appointment. At the time details of the requirements in a proposal will also be provided.

Proposals will be received at the M.N.R. office in Minden until Tuesday, April 4, 1995. If you have any further questions, please contact Stan Flemming at the Minden M.N.R. office, at 705-286-1521.

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# Around the County Town

by Jeanne Sears (call 286-1538)

Several parents, Edna McElwain and Lloyd and Alice Sedgwick of the Terrace were saddened by the death of Ron McElwain. Everyone extends their sympathy. Ron was out of the county for most of his life, working with General Motors dealerships at many places. The service, with Marian Sedgwick, was very heartening.

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Kit Schroter is away enjoying a visit with her daughter Brenda and Lyle Robins and family at Hamner.

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Dorothy McElwain was away at Millbrook and joined Mike and Maureen McElwain and the boys on a trip to Ottawa to visit with her sister Wilhemine Thompson.

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Dale and Tyler Vick of Vandorf were visiting Audrey and Bob Vick last weekend.

\*\*\*

Club 35 euchre from March 13: 50/50 draw-Bill Cowen; lone hands-Garth Windsor; high lady-Verna Sawyer; high man-Harry Randell; others-Olive Jones, Bill Kleinschmidt, Helen Lee. The next Wheels to Meals dinner will be held March 28 at 12 noon.

\*\*\*

Sincere sympathy goes out to the families and friends of the late Ron McElwain, Margaret Anderson, Alice Martin and Agnes Ainsworth who passed away last week.

\*\*\*

Sandra and Gary Gauthier, Danielle, Logan, Dan and Kendall of Toronto spent

last Monday with me on a nice warm day.

\*\*\*

Jennifer Gray, Susan Turner, Bryn Duncombe and Amanda Carr enjoyed a week of fun-filled activities including curling and euchre in Scarborough.

\*\*\*

Some people who need good wishes are Lola Prentice and Bessie Burk. Take care of yourselves, ladies.

\*\*\*

With the seniors group at RCL Branch 636, the winners on Tuesday afternoon, March 14 included, Bev Johnson with a moonshot and others Irene Fuhr, Allan Rice and Marie Dennie. These are weekly bid euchre games with everyone welcome.

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That same afternoon there were Stanhope bridge games with the winners being June Branning, Jack Gillette and Moira Gillette.

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Guests of Fred, Bess, Lesley and Robert Cox on Sunday March 12 to celebrate Robert's fifth birthday and Lesley's eighth birthday included Meghan, Lee and Laurie Ann Roodenburg, Corrine Hogg, Vincent Lade, Joe, Dennis, Debbie and Ed Cox, Albert Cox, Kathleen, Janet, Thomas and Susan Pierce.

\*\*\*

The winners of the RCL Branch 636 euchre held Thursday March 9 were: most lone hands-(men) Todd Edson; (women) Ida Young; high score-(men) Bill Mitchell (women) Mary Wilson; low (men) Bill Kleinschmidt (women) Marie

Dennie; other prizes Judith Merritt, Roy McDonald, Helen Lee and Helen Skelding.

\*\*\*

At the Gelert Centre, on the evening of March 14, the euchre game winners included: Audrey Vick, Mae Hicks, Ralph Schroter and Neil Cartwright with Steven Saunders having the most lone hands. The next euchre is scheduled for March 28 at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.

\*\*\*

If you are trying to live on a low income or are concerned about poverty, the Ontario Coalition Against Poverty will share information and address social justice issues of the poor at a forum on Wednesday March 22, 7 p.m. at the Cambridge Street United Church in Lindsay. There is no cost to attend and no personal information or names will be taken. This

is a public forum and everyone is welcome to attend. For more information, contact Alice Dana at 705-328-0472.

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Jim and Janet McMahon enjoyed a trip to Florida, running into a few storms, but had a nice holiday and a great time.

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There were bid euchre games at Stanhope on Wednesday March 15 with many taking moonshots: Jean Randell, Ken Clement, Bill Mathew with four, Ken Wallace, Norm Lee, Bill Milford. Other scores went to Jean Scadden, Olive Jones and Jean Hewitt and George Hewitt, Jean R. and Grenville Griffen. These games start at 7 p.m. with everyone welcome.

\*\*\*

The County Town Museum meeting will be held at the Library Centre. Please note the new time of 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday March 22.

## Seniors:

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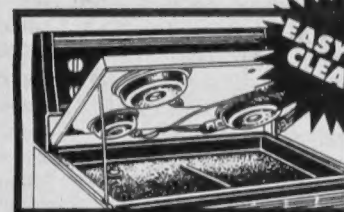
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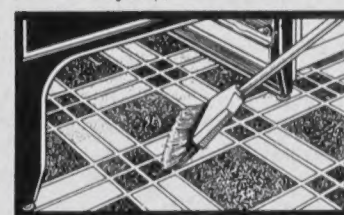
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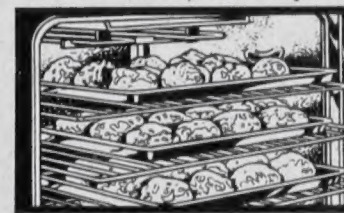
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p.m. Family members welcome.  
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Vance English 457-1834. 3C

Haliburton County Horseman's  
Association is having a repre-  
sentative from Sure-Gain to dis-  
cuss horse nutrition on Satur-  
day, March 25 at 1:00 p.m.,  
Minden Library. New members  
welcome. For information call  
286-6657 or 286-2257. 3C

#### Basketry Workshop

is being held at Agnes Jamieson  
Gallery. Instructor Vicki Cross.  
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**Date: Thursday March 23**  
**Place: Haliburton Museum**  
**Time: 7:30 p.m.**  
In addition, our monthly outing  
takes place at Wintergreen Ma-  
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25 at 11 a.m. All are welcome.

### BIRTHS

#### "IT'S A GIRL!"

**HODGSON** - Chris and Marie  
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of their daughter,

**Charlotte Marie**  
born on Monday, February 27,  
1995 weighing eight pounds,  
seven ounces. Charlotte is Chris  
and Marie's third child, and her  
big brothers Clayton and Cody  
couldn't be more delighted at  
the arrival of their little sister.  
Proud grandparents are Frank  
and Audrey Chambers, and  
Douglas and Barbara Hodgson,  
all of Haliburton. Charlotte and  
Marie would like to thank their  
family and friends for their best  
wishes, and express their appre-  
ciation to all the medical staff  
for the assistance and care that  
they received over the last few  
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## CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to thank everyone who has helped Doug and myself in anyway during and since our illness(es) - for your prayers, phone calls, visits to the house, cards, flowers, a lovely fruit basket, food; for the excellent care and attention of Dr. Conway and my surgeon, Dr. R.L. Smith; the x-ray staff of St. Joseph's, Peterborough and staff and nurses of Peterborough Civic, Haliburton and Minden Emergency; ambulance drivers. Special thanks for everything George and Marge Hamilton have done for us - a lot of driving to and from hospitals, taking care of me in their own home after hospital. To Brenda McKinlay, who is so supportive and kind, a big thank you, too. Doug adds his sincere thanks to mine.

Iris Adamson

## CARDS OF THANKS

The Wu family would like to thank Fr. Brian Parker, Dr. Holiday-Rhodes and Dr. Davidson and Betty Mills and the wonderful caring V.O.N. nurses. Especially Cindy Pristol, Anne MacNaul, Kim Ballentyne and Helen Berry. Also, for the help, support and kindness of the Red Cross Homemakers - Ruby Way, Shirley Warder, Jean Mantel and Doris McGuire and helpful neighbour and good friend Harry Earl. Mom and baby (Holly Angelica) are grateful for all of you being here during the tough times of our post-partum recovery and for always bringing sunshine and smiles to our day.

Sincerely yours,  
Donna & Holly Wu

## AT REST

MARTIN,  
Alice

(resident of Haliburton). Suddenly on Friday, March 10, 1995. Loved and sadly missed by her husband Jim; her children Barry, Darlene, Dean and Carolyn; her sisters Helena, Josie, and Theresa; her brothers Duncan, Jim and John; her grandchildren James, Jonathan and Joseph; her sister-in-law Rhea; and brother-in-laws Joseph and Harvey; nieces, nephews and other family members. Alice was retired from Canada Post and was a dedicated volunteer at Home Support. Friends called at the Haliburton Community Funeral Home, Hwy. #118 Haliburton (705) 457-9209 on Tuesday, March 14, 1995 from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Funeral and Committal Services was held in the Chapel on Wednesday, March 15, 1995 at 3 o'clock. Reception followed at St. Peter's Anglican Church. Memorial contributions to Haliburton Home Support would be appreciated.

## AT REST

McELWAIN,  
Ronald R.

Suddenly at the Victoria Hospital, London on Saturday, March 11th, 1995. In his 57th year. (President of McElwain Pontiac Buick GMC Ltd., London, Ontario) Beloved husband of Marlene E. McElwain (nee Sedgwick). Dear father of Gord McElwain of London. Dear son of Mrs. Edna McElwain of Minden and the late Robert W. McElwain. Dear son-in-law of Lloyd and Alice Sedgwick of Minden. Dear brother of Beverly McElwain and his wife Marlene of Whitby, Mylford McElwain of Brampton, Terry McElwain of Leamington, Donald McElwain and his wife Cindy of Gelert, Mrs. Margaret Gartshore and her husband Craig of Willowdale and Mrs. Ruth Graham and her husband Beverly of Castleton. Also loved by his nieces and nephews. Visitations were held on Monday, March 13 at the A. Millard George Funeral Home, 60 Ridout St., South, London and Tuesday, March 14 at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home, 127 Main St., Minden. Funeral services were held on Wednesday, March 15 at 11:00 a.m. Spring Interment Gelert Cemetery. Memorial donations to the Cancer Society or the Minden Hospital Building Fund would be appreciated.

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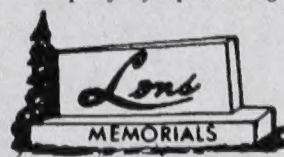


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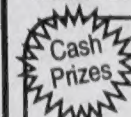
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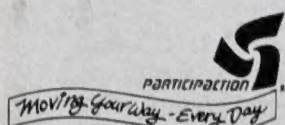
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## Cheddar Cheese Cuts

**.88** /100 g

**3.99** /lb.



You Deserve Them.

## Spring Rolls

330g box

**5.99**



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## Hors D'oeuvres

800g box

**9.49**

## Western Union

Money Transfer  
Agent

Send money quickly,  
almost anywhere in  
the world!

## Store Hours

Sunday:  
11 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
Mon., Tues.,  
Wed. & Sat.:  
8 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
Thurs.: 8 a.m. - 7 p.m.  
Fri.: 8 a.m. - 9 a.m.